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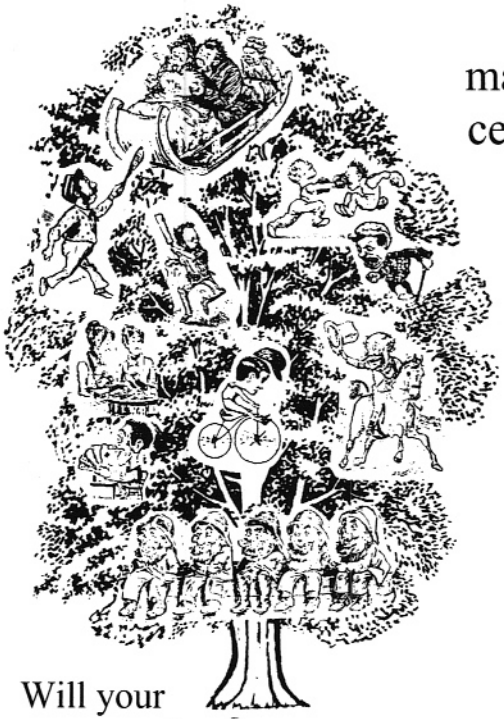

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INTRODUCTION

This booklet is aimed at Family Historians who are unable to personally visit The Family Records Centre (formerly St. Catherine's House) in London to order civil registration certificates. This means the vast majority of us! The national indexes kept there are now widely available on microfilm or microfiche; both through the generous services of the over 3,500 worldwide Family History Centers run by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, and also at numerous libraries and archives in Britain and elsewhere.

The present revision takes into account the fact that the indexes from 1837 to 1983 are now available worldwide. All post-1946 Registration Districts are now included, and all addresses are current to October, 2000.

The cost of obtaining these vital certificates from the Postal Applications Section of the Office for National Statistics (ONS), formerly the Office of Population Census & Surveys (OPCS), is twice the price of personal applications in London, plus bank charges for those abroad unless you use a credit card.

The less well-known, inexpensive alternative of using the District Register Offices has been hampered in the past by the difficulty of ascertaining which modern offices are responsible for the hundreds of discontinued or renamed offices which are encountered in the indexes.

The annual 'Official List of Registration Officers for England & Wales', obtainable from H.M. Stationery Office (£8.50 in 2000) has an appendix listing 'Registration Districts Abolished or Renamed'. To utilize this one has to pursue circuitous routes through several name changes. Only those with a good knowledge of British geography as well as a lot of patience are likely to be successful in using it.

In addition this key section for genealogists has a huge number of errors and omissions; the author has personally submitted 140 corrections to the ONS. From my experience, working with hundreds of family historians of British background, a simpler publication is necessary and this is an attempt to fulfill this need.

The present book is the first to supply a list of all Registration Districts that have ever existed directly cross-referenced to their modern equivalents and current addresses.

In addition the current Districts have been arranged by 'old counties', (i.e. pre-1974, those used for genealogical purposes), to assist in identification of ancestral areas. To help those outside Britain the county abbreviations have been added so that no-one need be confused by terms such as Hants or Salop!

For those hard-to-decipher District names, I have included three sections giving alphabetical listings within Volume Numbers, which correspond to Areas.

The reader may also consult the three maps entitled 'Registration and Census Districts 1837-1851', '1852-1946', and 1946–1965 respectively, published by The Institute of Heraldic and Genealogical Studies, 79-82 Northgate, Canterbury, Kent CT1 1BA. On these the Areas are clearly numbered and the Districts named.

The situation with many Registration Districts is far from simple; in some cases the present book can only act as a guide to narrow down the choice of Register Office. The shuffling and reshuffling of districts in areas with burgeoning populations has made the task incredibly difficult. No-one seems to have a definitive list of all of these changes. The ONS has been kind enough to assist with some problem districts but were unable to assist with many others. Where they were unable to provide the modern equivalent then I have put "try" and the name of a reasonable guess as to the correct office.

The author would appreciate assistance from those with detailed knowledge of particular areas in compiling future revisions so that all Family Historians may benefit. The author wishes to thank those many family historians who have notified her of Register Office address changes as these are always most welcome. Note, there are two errors on the third map (1946-1965): the second section of 5E is not labelled, and West Glamorgan is spelled Galmorgan.

It should also be noted that the national indexes were made from the **copies** of certificates sent to London by the Superintendent Registrars.

Copying errors are not unknown! Getting your certificates directly from the District that made them eliminates this source of error.

Note on Scottish & Irish Certificates

Many Scottish and Irish certificates may be obtained through the FHL in Salt Lake for 25¢ each by using the Request for Photocopy form. This service is available for any years microfilmed by the LDS church and these can be checked in their catalogue (FHLC) on CD or on their website at www.familysearch.org . Full details of years available and how to acquire and fill out the form can be found in the author's companion volumes in this series entitled, *Finding Your Irish Ancestors* and *Finding Your Scottish Ancestors.* For details of how to fully utilize the FHLC readers are referred to the author's *Research at the Family History Center.*

The 25¢ method is NOT applicable to English & Welsh certificates because the British Government has not yet declared any of them historic and thus they have not been microfilmed by the LDS church. Personally I find it hard to believe that my 3rd great grandfather's death in 1837 is still considered a modern event!

Note on Channel Islands & Isle of Man

These are separate countries as far as Civil Registration is concerned. Further details on procedures for using indexes and obtaining certificates can be found in the author's *Finding Your English & Welsh Ancestors, including Isle of Man & Channel Islands* and *Researching English & Welsh Civil Registration.*

INSTRUCTIONS

The System

Civil Registration commenced in England & Wales on 1 July 1837. Thus birth, marriages and death certificates can only be obtained for events from this date onwards. North Americans are more familiar with the term Vital Statistics but are cautioned that this term means something entirely different to the British!

The Registrar General in London oversees the work of over 400 District Superintendent Registrars throughout the country. Each of them has several local Registrars within their Districts.

There is a national office with a walk-in facility in London at:

The Family Records Centre
1 Myddelton Street
Islington, London EC1R 1UW
England

and a postal department in Southport at:

General Register Office
PO Box 2, Southport
Merseyside PR8 2JD
England

The local Superintendent Registrars are given their instructions from the national office, but their facilities, salaries and receipts are managed by their local county or city government.

Parishes & Registration Districts

The place names that you will find on the indexes to Civil Registration are the names of the Registration Districts (RDs). Each contains many parishes. To find out which RD your parish belongs to kindly refer to the author's companion volume, *Parishes and Registration Districts in England & Wales* which contains an alphabetical list of over 18,000 parishes cross-referenced to their Registration District(s). Intelligent guesses can be made from consulting maps and chart 2 here, but recourse to the above volume will provide a definitive answer.

Using The Indexes

Indexes of the registrations of birth, marriage and death for England & Wales (but *not* including the Isle of Man or Channel Islands), are available from 1837 to date at The Family Records Centre in London. Many libraries have purchased parts of the set on microfiche, and the indexes from 1837-1983 are available on film and/or fiche through any Family History Center, and many of them have long runs on permanent loan.

Each annual Index is divided into four separate, quarterly indexes e.g. events registered in Jan, Feb and Mar 1867 are in the Mar 1867 Index. Events are entered according to THE DATE THAT THEY WERE

REGISTERED, which may have been up to 6 weeks after the date of the event itself. There are also many late entries which were registered many years after the event, often identifiable by a written insertion on a page or by different kinds of volume and page numbers.

Remember to search each quarter, (March, June, September and December or 1Q, 2Q, 3Q and 4Q for short), and keep track of which you have searched. From the index record the exact spelling of the name, the year and quarter, the Registration District name, the volume number and page number.

A general index search form plus forms for Birth, Marriage and Death searches are available in the Heritage Productions companion volumes entitled *Finding Your English & Welsh Ancestors, including Isle of Man & Channel Islands*, and also in *Researching English & Welsh Civil Registration*. It is always good strategy to use recording forms as it ensures that you record each column of information. For marriage entries, if you know the names of both parties then look first under the least common surname, then cross-reference *in the same quarter* with the name of the spouse. You should get exactly the same Reg. District, Volume and Page Number for each.

Without knowing the spouse's surname it is naïve to expect to be able to 'find' the right partner by trawling through the whole index from A-Z. The marriage books contained up to 4 entries per page and thus at least 4 male and 4 female names match any particular reference.

Many inexperienced family historians have 'found' a suitable entry by stopping at the first matching page. Many of them don't follow up to get the certificate. If they did they would often find that the two parties were on the same page, but not married to each other! Similarly, many have been mystified to find two people of the same sex 'marrying' by using the same assumption. Further discussion of the indexing of aliases and maiden and former names of women can be found in *Researching English & Welsh Civil Registration.*

Be aware, however, that it was not compulsory to record *both* parties to a marriage in the index; and due to the laziness of the clerks the national indexes prior to 1911 often contain only the man's name. A woman may have used a former married name, or a different spelling, of which you are unaware. If you feel that an 'unmatched' entry 'has to be the right one', then a simple check with the Superintendent Registrar can be made.

In the early years up to one third of BMDs, especially births, were not registered as it was not mandatory until 1875. Some properly registered BMDs are *not* on the national index because the copy of that book did not reach London in time to be included in the index. Certificates for these entries *are* available from the District Superintendent Registrar, a source worth trying if you are unable to find an entry but know the area. For Births, always ask for the FULL certificate as the SHORT certificate does not give the parents names and particulars. There are no short certificates for marriages or deaths.

If you do not have access to the Birth or Death indexes but are certain of the area, then apply to the District Superintendent Registrar. S/he will conduct a 3-year search only but often this is sufficient if you know the approximate date.

Problems Reading Old Indexes

The quality of the early films and the old script used frequently cause problems. If you cannot decipher the name of the Registration District but can read the volume number, then consult charts 4 – 6 to find the names of all districts within a numbered area.

Chart 4 is for 1837-1851
Chart 5 is for 1852-1946
Chart 6 is for 1946-1965

The fiche indexes are sometimes so awful as to be unreadable. It seems that they not only used second or third carbon copies from which to film, but the operators did not always ensure that the picture was in focus. The filming was done by British government employees, not the LDS church whose standards are higher. If you have a problem reading fiche indexes, and cannot access the originals or filmed copies, then there is a solution. The Family History Library in Salt Lake City has the indexes on film for 1837-1903 (1906 for births.) For 25¢ U.S. you can obtain a photocopy of the index page from them by using the Request for Photocopies form mentioned in the Introduction. For further information on the history of microfilming the indexes, and of the various editions available, please see *Researching English & Welsh Civil Registration.*

Finding the Right Modern Register Office Using Chart 2

Chart 2 lists all known Registration Districts. There are two kinds listed in column 1.

- ⇨ Modern Districts are in UPPER CASE and their address is given in column 2.

- ⇨ Old Districts, which have been abolished or renamed, are in Lower Case, and column 2 gives the name of the modern counterpart.

Where more than one District is listed in column 2 recourse to a map will enable an intelligent guess to be made.

A list of Registration Districts arranged by the old, 'genealogical' counties is to be found in Chart 3 to further assist the researcher.

Sending For The Certificate

The Price

You can pay from £6.50 to £11.00 for the same certificate, as shown in Chart 1. You also need to factor in your outward postage costs, and travel time and costs for you or your agent, where applicable.

CHART 1: Fees for Certificates

Source	Index Details Needed	Cost	Refund If Not Found	Take Credit Cards
Local Supt Registrar	Yes, but 3-year search included. Many include more searching	£6.50 + mail cost*	Full £6.50	A few offices and more in future
In person at FRC London	Yes	£6.50	£3.50	Yes
	No + For each check made	£3.00		
	Yes. Priority, pick up next workday	£22.50		
Via agent at FRC London	Yes	£8–£10	£3.50	A few
	No + For each check made	Over £10 £3		
	Yes. Priority pick up next workday	About £25		
By mail GRO Southport	Yes	£8.00	£3.50	Yes
	No, but only 3 years searched. Each further 3 year search	£11 £3	£6.50	
	Yes, Priority, mailed next workday	£24.00	£3.50	
	No. Priority, mailed next workday	£27.00	£6.50	

* Include SAE, IRC or airmail postage (currently 45p for one certificate, 65p for two) with your request.

Note IRCs (International Reply Coupons), obtainable from post offices worldwide and redeemable in any other country for an airmail stamp, are usually much

more expensive than a regular stamp. It is better to buy a supply of stamps from an British Post Office by mail. Only use IRCs if you have an excess supply on hand from your own correspondents.

How to Send Money

Send money *in sterling,* since British bank exchange charges are very high. It may be cheaper to get a sterling money order or draft from the Post Office if your, (or a senior citizen friend's) bank plan doesn't provide them free. It should be noted that the Family History Library in Salt Lake City has discontinued its former certificate provision service from London.

Some family historians maintain a British bank account and can thus write cheques on it to cover certificates and other purchases from Britain.

To Local Superintendent Registrars

Sterling drafts or money orders should be made payable to *The Superintendent Registrar* unless indicated otherwise in Chart 2. The author would appreciate feedback from readers who find further Districts who require other formats. Thank you.

Superintendent Registrars' offices are run by their respective county, borough, or city government. Few accept credit cards at the moment but this situation is changing rapidly. The ones that do are identified by a * after the District Name in Chart 2. The author would be pleased to be advised of other RDs which accept credit cards so that they may be included in future editions.

Omitting a specific county or district name on your payment means that if your certificate cannot be provided this payment can be used in another district, thus saving you bank conversion charges.

If you are sending for more than one certificate it may save you headaches if you enclose separate payments for each, then if one cannot be supplied the office can simply return that payment to you. Quote all the details found in the index, but be aware that the Volume and Page Numbers are not relevant to local registrars, as they come from the national index.

To GRO in Southport

Sterling drafts or money orders should be made payable to *ONS.*

- Telephone orders are accepted at +44 (0)151 471 4816 with a credit card payment.

- E-mail orders can be sent to Certificateservices@ons.gov.uk But this involves sending your credit card details by ordinary E-mail which is NOT advisable.

- You can also download a form from the GRO website *at:* www.statistics.gov.uk/registration/default.asp

- Send the first order by snail mail with your credit card particulars. In subsequent orders by E-mail just quote your first order number and they can find your credit card particulars from their records.

Note This means that they are keeping your credit card information in their files, and you may not wish this to happen.

Addressing Your Letter

'The Superintendent Registrar, The Register Office, ..." (Address from Chart 2)

Or, if you have to use the GRO:

General Register Office
PO Box 2, Southport,
Merseyside, England PR8 2HH

Thoughts To Consider

Advantages of Using the Local Superintendent Registrar

- Cheapest postal method.

- Full refund if unavailable or they can't find the certificate.

  Compare this with GRO who charge an administration fee of £4.50 if they can't find the certificate. Note that they also state on their website that 'amounts under £5.00 are not refundable overseas!'

- Usually receive a transcript of the original. A few offices can produce photocopies of the original.

  Compare this with the GRO who can *only* produce transcripts, or photocopies of transcripts, and frequently send transcripts of transcripts of transcripts! The possibility for error is thereby increased and at least 1 in 40 certificates from this source has an error on it!

- Speedy service. Turn-around times of 4 days to 4 weeks to North America, and typically 7-10 days. *Compare this with GRO* whose turn-around is typically 6-8 weeks, and can be several months.

- Superintendent Registrars are some of the most helpful people around. Most of them go 'beyond the call of duty' for family historians.

  Compare this with the GRO who seem to have a perpetual problem in training and retaining suitable staff. Their service is often indifferent to us, and one really cannot be sure whether they have searched thoroughly.

Only use the GRO as a last resort!

However the GRO do accept telephone orders and credit card payments which can be a boon to many people. Most local Registration Districts do not yet accept credit cards but this is changing rapidly. Those that do are indicated on Chart 2 with an asterix *.

Also if you require a certificate from the Miscellaneous Indexes (Foreign and Armed Forces) then you will have to go through the GRO. There is further information about these Miscellaneous Indexes in the author's *Researching English & Welsh Civil Registration* and on the GRO website at:

www.statistics.gov.uk/registration/default.asp

Reliability Of Copies

The national indexes are made from transcribed COPIES of the books of certificates sent up to London by the local Superintendent Registrars. As such they are bound to contain transcription errors. From the GRO you receive a typed or written transcribed copy of the transcribed copy, *or* a photocopy of the transcribed copy. You can ask for the photocopy as it is preferable to the other two.

Certificates emanating from the local offices are more reliable as they are transcribed from the original entries. However they are mainly typed or written transcriptions as they usually don't have the special photocopying equipment required. You can ask for a photocopy of the original, and I have found Superintendent Registrars to be very helpful in this respect. This is especially relevant for marriage entries where one needs to see the actual signatures of the parties and/or witnesses.

For marriages, if you do know the parish it is more desirable to get a photocopy of the original parish register because it will be far cheaper (photocopying cost only), and will contain the original signatures. This can be done from microfilm through the Family History Centers of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, or through the County Record Offices. The reader is advised to consult the Heritage Productions books *Finding Your English & Welsh Ancestors* and *Research at the Family History Center* for more details about the Request for Photocopies form.

Checking For The Right Entry

District Supt Registrars are known to be most helpful in checking details if you are unsure if you have the correct entry. If you have, for example, an exact birthdate, or the name of the father, then you can ask them to check. You can save a lot of money by having these checks made.

Also, if you are unsure that you have the correct district office, it is wise to add, "If your office does not hold this record kindly forward to the appropriate Registrar."

Offices Not Having Marriage Indexes!

A few local registrars do not supply marriage certificates unless you supply the date and place, but they are in the minority. The reason is that no index exists to their marriage books, a fact that North Americans find incredible! If you did know the parish you would be going straight to the parish registers for marriages, as outlined above, and not for an expensive certificate. However, when sending for marriages your chances of success with the local Superintendent Registrars will be better if you can suggest an area even if not a specific parish.

What's My Next Step?

For assistance in getting to grips with organizing your research goals, paperwork, visits to archives and every other planning aspect of family history the author has written *Let's Get Organized.*

Those beginning English or Welsh research will find her *Finding Your English & Welsh Ancestors, including Isle of Man & Channel Islands* invaluable as it offers a general overview of the subject, emphasizing the basics as well as mentioning many other sources.

Detailed explanations and discussions of the finer points of the four main primary sources can be found in:

Researching English & Welsh Civil Registration Records
Researching English & Welsh Census Records
Researching English & Welsh Church Records
Researching English & Welsh Probate Records
also by Dr. Christensen.

CHART 2:
Alphabetical List of Registration Districts

The left column gives the District names as found in the indexes.

- ⇨ Modern Districts are in UPPER CASE and their address is given in column 2. Addresses are current as of October 2000.

- ⇨ Old Districts, which have been abolished or renamed, are in Lower Case, and column 2 gives the name of the modern counterpart.

Where more than one District is listed in column 2 recourse to a map will enable an intelligent guess to be made.

Website and E-mail addresses are also given where available. Most districts accept payment addressed to *The Superintendent Registrar.* Where another format is preferred this is indicated *in italics* after the address.

Updates on addresses and payment formats are always welcomed by the author so that this book may be kept up-to-date and useful to your fellow genealogists.

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Aberayron	See Cardiganshire Central
ABERCONWY	Muriau Bldgs, Rose Hill Street, Conwy, Gwynedd LL32 8LD Website: www.gwynedd.gov.uk
Abergavenny	See Monmouth
Aberystwyth	See Cardiganshire North
ABINGDON	Roysse Court, Bridge Street, Abingdon, Oxfordshire OX14 3HU Website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk
Acle	See Norwich, or Great Yarmouth
Alcester	See South Warwickshire
Alderbury	See Salisbury
Aldershot	See North East Hampshire
Aldridge & Brownhills	See Walsall
Aled	See Colwyn, or Aberconwy
Alnwick	See Northumberland Central, or Northumberland North Second
Alresford	See Alton, Basingstoke, Droxford, or Winchester
Alston	See Penrith
ALTON	4 Queens Rd, Alton, Hampshire GU34 1HU Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk
Altrincham	See Trafford
Alverstoke	See South East Hampshire
Alyn & Deeside	See Flintshire East
AMBER VALLEY	Market Place, Ripley, Derbyshire DE5 3BT Website: www.derbyshire.gov.uk
Amersham	See Chiltern Hills
Amesbury	See Salisbury
Amounderness	See Preston & South Ribble
Ampthill	See Bedfordshire
ANDOVER	Wessex Chambers, South Street, Andover, Hampshire SP10 2BN Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk
Anglesey (East/West)	See Ynys Mon
Appleby	See Penrith
ARDUDWY	Bryn Marian, Church Street, Blaenau Ffestiniog, Gwynedd LL41 3HD Website: www.gwynedd.gov.uk

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
ASHBOURNE	Town Hall, Market Place, Ashbourne, Derbyshire DE6 1ES Website: www.derbyshire.gov.uk
Ashby de la Zouch	See Leicestershire
Ashford	See Ashford with Shepway
ASHFORD WITH SHEPWAY*	Elwick House, Elwick Road, Ashford, Kent TN23 1NR Website: www.kent.gov.uk
Ashton under Lyne	See High Peak, Oldham, or Tameside
Askrigg	See North Yorkshire
Aston	Try Birmingham
Atcham	See Clun, Oswestry, Shrewsbury, or Welshpool & Llanfyllin
Atherstone	See North Warwickshire
Auckland	See Durham Western, and others
Axbridge	See North Somerset
Axminster	See West Dorset or East Devon
Aylesbury	See Aylesbury Vale
AYLESBURY VALE	County Offices, Walton Street, Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire HP20 1XF Website: www.buckscc.gov.uk *Money to Buckinghamshire County Council*
Aylsham	See Fakenham, North Walsham or Norwich
Aysgarth	See North Yorkshire
BAKEWELL	Town Hall, Bath Street, Bakewell, Derbyshire DE45 1BW Website: www.derbyshire.gov.uk
Bala	See Penllyn
BANBURY	Bodicote House, Bodicote, Near Banbury, Oxfordshire OX15 4AA Website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk
BANGOR	Town Hall, Bangor, Gwynedd LL57 2RE Website: www.gwynedd.gov.uk
BARKING & DAGENHAM	Arden House, 198 Longbridge Road., Barking, Essex IG11 8SY Website: www.barking-dagenham.gov.uk
Barkston Ash	See Leeds, York, or North Yorkshire

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
BARNET	182 Burnt Oak Broadway, Edgware, Middlesex HA8 0AU Website: www.barnet.gov.uk *Money to The Barnet Corporation*
BARNSLEY	Town Hall, Church Street, Barnsley, South Yorkshire S70 2TA Website: www.barnsley.gov.uk
Barnstaple	See Mid Devon
Barrow on Soar, Leics	See Leicestershire
Barrow, Lancs	See Barrow-in-Furness
BARROW-IN-FURNESS	74 Abbey Road., Barrow-in-Furness, Cumbria LA14 5UB Website: www.cumbria.gov.uk
Barton on Irwell	See Salford
Barton Regis	See Bristol
BASFORD	The Woodlands, Highbury Road., Bulwell, Nottingham, Notts NG6 9DA Website: www.nottscc.gov.uk also see Nottingham, Rushcliffe, Erewash, Mansfield, & (for marriages only) Amber Valley
Basildon	See Brentwood
BASINGSTOKE	'Goldings', London Road, Basingstoke, Hampshire RG21 4AN Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk
Bath	See Bath & North East Somerset, or South Gloucestershire
BATH & NORTH EAST SOMERSET	12 Charlotte Street., Bath, Avon BA1 2NF Website: www.bathnes.gov.uk
Bathavon	See Bath & North East Somerset, or Bristol
Battersea	See Wandsworth
Battle	See Hastings & Rother
Beaminster	See West Dorset
Bedale	See North Yorkshire
Bedford	See Bedfordshire
BEDFORDSHIRE	Pilgrim House, 20 Brickhill Drive, Bedford, Bedfordshire MK41 7PZ Website: www.bedfordshire.gov.uk

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Bedminster	See Bristol
Bedwelty	See Blaenau Gwent
Belford	See Northumberland North First
Bellingham	See Northumberland West
Belper	See Amber Valley
Berkhamstead	See Dacorum
Bermondsey	See Southwark
Berwick	See Northumberland North First
Bethnal Green	See Tower Hamlets
BEVERLEY	34 Lairgate, Beverley, East Yorkshire HU17 8ES
BEXLEY	Manor House, The Green, Sidcup, Kent DA15 6BW Website: www.bexley.gov.uk
Bicester	See Bullingdon or Ploughley
Bideford	See Torridge
Biggleswade	See Bedfordshire
Billericay	See Brentwood or Chelmsford
Billesdon	See Leicestershire
Bilston	See Cannock Chase, Dudley, Walsall, Sandwell, or Wolverhampton
Bingham	See Rushcliffe
Birkenhead	See Wirral
Birmingham (N & S)	See Birmingham
BIRMINGHAM*	300 Broad Street, Birmingham B1 2DE Website: www.birmingham.gov.uk /registeroffice
BISHOPS STORTFORD	2 Hockerill Street, Bishop's Stortford, Hertfordshire CM23 2DL Website: www.hertscc.gov.uk
Bitterne	See Southampton
Blaby	See Leicestershire
Blackburn	See Blackburn with Darwen
BLACKBURN WITH DARWEN	Jubilee Street, Blackburn, Lancashire BB1 1EP *Money to Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council*

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
BLACKPOOL	South King Street, Blackpool, Lancashire FY1 4AX *Money to Blackpool Borough Council*
Blackpool & Fylde	See Blackpool or Fleetwood & Fylde
BLAENAU GWENT	The Grove, Church Street, Tredegar, Gwent NP2 3DS Website: www.monmouthshire.gov.uk
Blandford	See Poole
Blean	See Canterbury with Swale
Blofield	See Norwich, or Great Yarmouth
Bloomsbury	See Westminster
Blyth	See Deben or Waveney
Blything	See Deben or Waveney
BODMIN	"Lyndhurst', 66 Nicholas Street, Bodmin, Cornwall PL31 1AG Website: www.cornwall.gov.uk/bdm
BOLTON	Mere Hall, Mere Hall Street, Bolton, Lancashire BL1 2QT
Bootle, Cumberland	See Millom or Whitehaven
Bootle, Lancs	See Sefton South
Border	See Carlisle
Bosmere	See Deben, Gipping & Hartismere, or Ipswich
BOSTON	County Hall, Boston, Lincolnshire PE21 6LX Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk
BOURNE	Saxonhurst, 35 West Street, Bourne, Lincolnshire PE10 9NE Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk
Bourne & Kesteven	See Bourne
BOURNEMOUTH	159 Old Christchurch Road., Bournemouth, Hampshire BH1 1JS
Bournemouth & Christchurch	See Bournemouth
BRACKLEY	56 Manor Road, Brackley, Northamptonshire NN13 6EE Website: www.northamptonshire.gov.uk
Bracknell	See Bracknell Forest

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
BRACKNELL FOREST	Easthampstead House, Town Square, Bracknell, Berkshire RG12 1AQ
Bradfield	See West Berkshire, Reading or Wokingham
BRADFORD	22 Manor Row, Bradford, West Yorkshire BD1 4QR Website: www.bradford.gov.uk
Bradford on Avon, Wilts	See Trowbridge
Bradford, Yorks	See Bradford
BRAINTREE	John Ray House,Bocking End, Braintree, Essex CM7 9RW Website: www.essexcc.gov.uk
Bramham	Try Leeds
Bramley	Try Leeds
Brampton	See Carlisle
BRECKNOCK	Neuadd Brycheiniog, Cambrian Way, Brecon, Powys LD3 7HR Website: www.powys.gov.uk
BRENT*	Brent Town Hall, Forty Lane, Wembley, Middlesex HA9 9EZ Website: www2.brent.gov.uk E-mail: reg@brent.gov.uk
Brentford	See Brent, Ealing, Harrow, or Hounslow
BRENTWOOD	1 Seven Arches Road., Brentwood, Essex CM14 4JG Website: www.essexcc.gov.uk
Bridge	See Canterbury with Swale
Bridgend	See Bridgend, Pontypridd, Cardiff or Vale of Glamorgan
BRIDGEND	Council Borough Offices, Sunnyside, Bridgend, Mid Glamorgan CF31 4AR
BRIDGNORTH	12 West Castle Street, Bridgnorth, Shropshire WV16 4AB Website: www.shropshire.gov.uk
Bridgwater	See Sedgemoor, or Yeovil
BRIDLINGTON	Town Hall, Quay Road, Bridlington, East Yorkshire YO16 4LP *Money to ERYC.*
Bridport	See West Dorset

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Brighton	See Brighton & Hove
BRIGHTON & HOVE	Brighton Town Hall, Bartholomews, Brighton, Sussex BN1 1JA Website: www.brighton-hove.gov.uk
BRISTOL	Quakers Friars, Bristol, Avon BS1 3AR
Brixworth	See Northampton
BROMLEY	Bromley Civic Centre, Stockwell Close, Bromley, Kent BR1 3UH Website: www.bromley.gov.uk E-mail: registrars@bromley.gov.uk *Money to London Borough of Bromley*
BROMSGROVE	School Drive, Bromsgrove, Worcestershire B60 1AY Website: www.worcestershire.gov.uk *Money to Worcestershire County Council*
BROMYARD	Council Offices, 1 Rowberry Street, Bromyard, Herefordshire HR7 4DU Website: www.herefordshire.gov.uk
BROXBOURNE	Borough Offices, Churchgate, Cheshunt, Hertfordshire EN8 9XQ Website: www.hertscc.gov.uk
Buckingham	See Milton Keynes
Bucklow	See Cheshire East, Manchester, Trafford, or Warrington
Buckrose	See North Yorkshire, or Bridlington
Builth	See Mid Powys
BULLINGDON	Littleworth Road, Wheatley, Oxfordshire O33 1NR Website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk
Bulmer	See North Yorkshire, or York
Burnley	See Burnley & Pendle
BURNLEY & PENDLE	12 Nicholas Street, Burnley, Lancashire BB11 2AQ
Burton	See East Staffordshire
Burton upon Trent	See East Staffordshire
BURY	Town Hall, Manchester Road, Bury, Lancashire BL9 0SW *Money to Bury MBC*

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BURY ST. EDMUNDS	St. Margarets, Shire Hall, Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk IP33 1RX
Caerleon	See Merthyr Tydfil, Cardiff, Vale of Glamorgan, or Newport
CAERNARFON	Swyddfa Arfon, Penrallt, Caernarfon, Gwynedd LL55 1BN Website: www.gwynedd.gov.uk
Caernarvon	See Caernarfon
CAERPHILLY	Council Offices, Ystrad Fawr, Caerphilly Road, Ystrad Mynach, Hengoed, Glamorgan CF82 7SF
CAISTOR	Council Offices, Caistor, Lincolnshire LN7 6LX Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk See also North East Lincolnshire
Calder	See Halifax, or Bradford
Calne	See Chippenham
Camberwell	See Southwark
CAMBORNE-REDRUTH	Roskear, Camborne, Cornwall TR14 8DN Website: www.cornwall.gov.uk/bdm
CAMBRIDGE	Castle Lodge, Shire Hall, Castle Hill, Cambridge, Cambridgeshire CB3 0AP Website: www.cambridge.gov.uk E-mail: register.offices@camcnty.gov.uk
Cambridgeshire	See Cambridge
CAMDEN*	Camden Town Hall, Judd Street, London WC1H 9JE Website: www.camden.gov.uk *Money to London Borough of Camden*
Camelford	See Bodmin
Cannock	See Cannock Chase, or South Staffordshire
CANNOCK CHASE	5 Victoria Street, Cannock, Staffordshire WS11 1AG Website: www.staffordshire.gov.uk
Canterbury	See Canterbury with Swale

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
CANTERBURY WITH SWALE*	Wellington House, 4 St. Stephen's Road, Canterbury, Kent CT2 7RD Website: www.kent.gov.uk *Money to County Council.*
CARDIFF	48 Park Place, Cardiff, Glamorgan CF1 3LU Website: www.cardiff.gov.uk
Cardigan	See Cardiganshire South
CARDIGANSHIRE CENTRAL NORTH SOUTH	 21 High Street, Lampeter, Ceredigion SA48 7BH Swyddfar Sir, Marine Terrace, Aberystwyth, Ceredigion SY23 2DE Glyncoed Chambers, Priory St., Cardigan, Ceredigion SA43 1BX
CARLISLE	23 Portland Square, Carlisle, Cumbria CA1 1PE Website: www.cumbria.gov.uk
CARMARTHEN	Parc Myrddin, Richmond Terrace, Carmarthen, Carmarthenshire SA31 6DY Website: www.carmarthenshire.gov.uk
CASTLE POINT & ROCHFORD	Civic Centre, Victoria Avenue, Southend-on-Sea, Essex SS2 6ER Website: www.essexcc.gov.uk
Castle Ward	See Newcastle upon Tyne, North Tyneside, or Northumberland Central,
Catherington	See Droxford, Petersfield, or South East Hampshire
Caxton	See Cambridge, or Huntingdon
Central Cleveland	See Redcar & Cleveland, Stockton on Tees, or Middlesbrough
Chanctonbury	See Worthing
Chapel-en-le-Frith	See High Peak
Chard	See Yeovil
Chatham	See Medway
Cheadle	See East Staffordshire, or Staffordshire Moorlands
CHELMSFORD	17 Market Road., Chelmsford, Essex CM1 1GF Website: www.essexcc.gov.uk
Chelsea	See Kensington & Chelsea

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
CHELTENHAM	St. George's Road., Cheltenham, Gloucestershire GL50 3EW Website: www.gloscc.gov.uk
Chepstow	See Merthyr Tydfil, Newport, Cardiff, or Vale of Glamorgan
Chertsey	See North Surrey, or West Surrey
CHESHIRE CENTRAL	Delamere House, Chester Street, Crewe, Cheshire CW1 2LL Website: www.cheshire.gov.uk E-mail:centralro@cheshire.u-net.com
CHESHIRE EAST	Park Green, Macclesfield, Cheshire SK11 6TW Website: www.cheshire.gov.uk E-mail: eastro@cheshire.u-net.com
CHESHIRE WEST	Goldsmith House, Goss Street, Chester, Cheshire CH1 2BG Website: www.cheshire.gov.uk E-mail: westro@cheshire.u-net.com
Chester	See Chester & Ellesmere Port
Chester le Street	See Durham Northern and others
CHESTERFIELD	New Beetwell Street, Chesterfield, Derbyshire S40 1QJ Website: www.derbyshire.gov.uk *Money to Derbyshire County Council*
Chesterton	See Cambridge
CHICHESTER	Greyfriars, 61 North Street, Chichester, West Sussex PO19 1NB Website: www.westsussex.gov.uk
Chiltern & Beaconsfield	See Chiltern Hills
Chiltern & South Bucks	See Chiltern Hills
CHILTERN HILLS	Wycombe Area Offices, Easton Street, High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire HP11 1NH Website: www.buckscc.gov.uk *E-mail: Buckinghamshire County Council*

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
CHIPPENHAM	4 Timber Street, Chippenham, Wiltshire SN15 3BZ Website: www.wiltshire.gov.uk *Money to Wiltshire County Council*
Chipping Norton	See West Oxfordshire
Chipping Sodbury	See Bristol, Cirencester, or South Gloucestershire
CHORLEY	16 St. George's Street, Chorley, Lancashire PR7 2AA
Chorlton	See Manchester
Christchurch	See Bournemouth
Church Stretton	See Bridgnorth, Ludlow, or Shrewsbury
CIRENCESTER	Old Memorial Hospital, Sheep Street, Cirencester, Gloucestershire GL7 1QW Website: www.gloscc.gov.uk
CITY OF LONDON	Finsbury Town Hall, Rosebery Ave, London EC1R 4QT Website: www.cityoflondon.gov.uk
City of Westminster	See Westminster
Claro	See North Yorkshire
Cleethorpes	See North East Lincolnshire
Cleobury Mortimer	See Bridgnorth
Clerkenwell	See Islington
Cleveland	See North Yorkshire, Redcar & Cleveland, Stockton on Tees, or Middlesbrough
Clifton	See Bristol
Clitheroe	See Ribble Valley
CLUN	The Pines, Colebatch Road., Bishops Castle, Shropshire SY9 5JY Website: www.shropshire-cc.gov.uk
Clutton	See Bath & North East Somerset, South Gloucestershire, Bristol, or Mendip
Coalville	See Leicestershire
COCKERMOUTH	Fairfield, Station Road, Cockermouth, Cumbria CA13 9PT Website: www.cumbria.gov.uk
COLCHESTER	Stanwell House, Stanwell Street, Colchester, Essex CO2 7DL Website: www.essexcc.gov.uk

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COLWYN	New Clinic & Offices, 67 Market Street, Abergele, Conwy. LL22 7BP Website: www.denbighshire.gov.uk
Congleton	See Cheshire East or Cheshire Central
Congleton & Crewe	See Cheshire Central
Conway (& C. Valley)	See Aberconwy
Cookham	See Windsor & Maidenhead
CORBY	The Old Stables, Cottingham Road, Corby, Northamptonshire NN17 1TD Website: www.northamptonshire.gov.uk
Corwen	See Aberconwy, Colwyn, Denbighshire South, Penllyn, Wrexham, or Welshpool & Llanfyllin
Cosford	See Bury St. Edmunds, or Sudbury
COVENTRY	Cheylesmore Manor House, Manor House Drive, Coventry, Warwickshire CV1 2ND Website: www.coventry.gov.uk
Cranbrook	See Tunbridge Wells
CRAWLEY	Town Hall, The Boulevard, Crawley, West Sussex RH10 1UZ Website: www.westsussex.gov.uk
Crediton	See Exeter, East Devon, or Mid Devon
Crewe	See Cheshire Central
Criccieth & Tremadog	See Dwyfor
Crickhowell	See Blaenau Gwent, or Brecknock
Cricklade	See Swindon
Crosby	See Sefton South
CROYDON	Mint Walk, Croydon, Surrey CR10 1EA Website: www.croydon.gov.uk
Cuckfield	See Haywards Heath
DACORUM	The Bury, Queensway, Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire HP1 1HR Website: www.hertscc.gov.uk
DARLINGTON	Central House, Gladstone Street, Darlington, Durham DL3 6JX Website: www.darlington.gov.uk
Dartford	See Gravesend

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Darwen	See Blackburn with Darwen, Hyndburn & Rossendale, or Ribble Valley
DAVENTRY	Council Offices, Lodge Road., Daventry, Northamptonshire NN11 5AF Website: www.northamptonshire.gov.uk
DE MEIRIONNYDD	Meirionnydd Area Office, Cae Penarlag, Dolgellau, Gwynedd. LL40 2YB Website: www.gwynedd.gov.uk
DEBEN	Council Offices, Melton Hill, Woodbridge, Suffolk IP12 1AU
Delyn	See Flintshire West
DENBIGHSHIRE NORTH	Morfa Hall, Church Street, Rhyl, Denbighshire LL18 3AA Website: www.denbighshire.gov.uk
DENBIGHSHIRE SOUTH	Station Road, Ruthin, Denbighshire LL15 1BS Website: www.denbighshire.gov.uk
Deptford	See Lewisham
DEPWADE	Council Offices, 11/12 Market Hill, Diss, Norfolk IP22 3JX Website: www.norfold.gov.uk
DERBY	9 Traffic St., Derby, Derbyshire DE1 2NL Website: www.derby.gov.uk *Money to Derby City Council*
Devizes	See Devizes & Marlborough
DEVIZES & MARLBOROUGH	The Beeches, Bath Road, Devizes, Wiltshire SN10 2AL Website: www.wiltshire.gov.uk
Devon Central	See Exeter, East Devon, or Mid-Devon
Devonport	See Plymouth
DEWSBURY	Wellington Street, Dewsbury, West Yorkshire WF13 1LY
Docking	See King's Lynn
Dolgelley	See Ardudwy, or De Meirionnydd
Don Valley	See Doncaster, or Barnsley
DONCASTER	Elmfield Park, Doncaster, South Yorkshire DN1 2EB. *Money to DBMC*
Dorchester	See South Dorset

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Dorking	See East Surrey, South East Surrey, or West Surrey
Dover	See Thanet with Dover
DOWNHAM	15 Paradise Road, Downham Market, Norfolk PE38 9HS Website: www.norfolk.gov.uk
Driffield	See Bridlington or North Yorkshire
DROITWICH	Council Office, 31 Ombersley Street East, Droitwich, Worcestershire WR9 8QX Website: www.worcestershire.gov.uk
DROXFORD	Bank House, Bank St., Bishops Waltham, Southampton, Hampshire SO23 1GP Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk
DUDLEY	Priory Hall, Priory Park, Dudley, West Midlands DY1 4EU Website: www.dudley.gov.uk
Dulverton	See West Somerset
Dunmow	See Uttlesford
Dunstable	See Bedfordshire
Durham	See Durham Central, and others
DURHAM CENTRAL EASTERN NORTHERN SOUTHWESTERN WESTERN	Website: www.durham.gov.uk 40 Old Elvet, Durham, Durham DH1 3HN Acre Rigg, York Road, Peterlee, Durham SR8 2DP 7 Thorneyholme Terrace, Stanley, Durham DH9 0BJ See Durham Western Cockton House, 35 Cockton Hill Road, Bishop Auckland, Durham DL14 6HS
Durham Central	See Durham Central, and others
Durham Central & South East	See Hartlepool, Stockton on Tees, and others
Durham North Eastern	See Gateshead, Jarrow & South Shields
Durham North Western	See Durham Northern, or Gateshead
Durham South Eastern	See Hartlepool, Stockton on Tees, and others
Dursley	See Bristol, or Stroud

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DWYFOR	35 High Street, Pyllheli, Gwynedd LL53 5RT Website: www.gwynedd.gov.uk
Dyffryn Conwy	See Aberconwy
EALING*	Ealing Town Hall, New Broadway, Ealing, London W5 2BY Website: www.ealing.gov.uk E-mail: markw@ealing.gov.uk
Easington (2 places)	See Redcar & Cleveland, or Durham Eastern
Easingwold	See North Yorkshire, or York
East Ashford	See Ashford with Shepway
East Cleveland	See Redcar & Cleveland
EAST DEREHAM	Local Health Office, 59 High Street, Dereham, Norfolk NR19 1DZ Website: www.norfolk.gov.uk
EAST DEVON	Elmfield House, Dowell Street, Honiton, Devon EX14 8LZ Website: www.devon-cc.gov.uk
EAST DORSET	King George V Pavilion, Peter Grant Way, Ferndown, Dorset BH22 9EN Website: www.dorset-cc.gov.uk
EAST ELLOE	25 West Street, Long Sutton, nr Spalding, Lincolnshire PE12 9BN Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk
East Glamorgan	See Merthyr Tydfil, Pontypridd, or South Glamorgan
East Grinstead	See Crawley
East Ham	See Newham
East London	See Islington
East Preston	See Worthing
EAST RETFORD	County Council Offices, Chancery Lane, Retford, Nottinghamshire DN22 6EU Website: www.nottscc.gov.uk
EAST STAFFORDSHIRE	Rangemore House, 22 Rangemore Street, Burton-on-Trent, Staffordshire DE14 2ED Website: www.staffordshire.gov.uk
East Stonehouse	See Plymouth
EAST SURREY	The Mansion, 70 Church Street, Leatherhead, Surrey KT22 8DA
East Ward	See Kendal, or Penrith

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
EASTBOURNE	Town Hall, Grove Road, Eastbourne, East Sussex BN21 4UG Website: www.eastsussexcc.gov.uk
Easthampstead or Easthemstead	See Bracknell Forest, or Windsor & Maidenhead
Eastleigh	See Andover, Romsey, or Winchester
Eastry	See Thanet with Dover
Eccles(h)all Bierlow	See Chesterfield, or Sheffield
Ecclesfield	See Sheffield
Edmonton	See Enfield, or Haringey
Elham	See Thanet with Dover, or Ashford with Shepway
Ellesmere	See North Shropshire, Oswestry, Shrewsbury, or Wrexham
Elstree & Potters Bar	See Barnet
ELY	Old School House, 74 Market Street, Ely, Cambridgeshire CB7 4LS Website: www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk
ENFIELD	Public Offices, 1 Gentleman's Row, Enfield, Middlesex EN2 6PS Website: www.enfield.gov.uk
Epping	See Epping Forest, or Harlow
EPPING FOREST	St. John's Road, Epping, Essex CM16 5DN Website: www.essexcc.gov.uk
Epsom	See East Surrey, West Surrey, or SE Surrey
EREWASH	87 Lord Haddon Road, Ilkeston, Derbyshire DE7 8AX Website: www.derbyshire.gov.uk
Erpingham	See Fakenham, or North Walsham
Essex South Western	See Redbridge, or Waltham Forest
Eton	See Chiltern Hills, Slough, or Windsor & Maidenhead
EVESHAM	County Offices, Swan Lane, Evesham, Worcestershire WR11 4TZ Website: www.worcestershire.gov.uk
Ewecross	See North Yorkshire
EXETER	1 Lower Summerlands, Heavitree Road, Exeter, Devon EX1 2LL Website: www.devon-cc.gov.uk
Exmoor	See West Somerset

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F(f)estiniog	See Ardudwy, Caernarvon, or De Meirionnydd
FAKENHAM	Fakenham Connect, Oak Street, Fakenham, Norfolk NR21 9SR Website: www.norfolk.gov.uk *Money to Norfolk County Council*
FALMOUTH	Berkeley House, 12-14 Berkeley Vale, Falmouth, Cornwall TR11 3PH Website: www.cornwall.gov.uk/bdm
Fareham	See South East Hampshire, Droxford, or Portsmouth
Faringdon	See Cirencester, or Wantage
Farnborough, Surrey	See Bromley
Farnham	See North Surrey, or West Surrey
Farnworth	See Bolton
Faversham	See Ashford with Shepway, or Canterbury with Swale
FENLAND	Old Vicarage, Church Terrace, Wisbech, Cambridgeshire PE13 1BW Website: www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk
Finsbury	See Islington
Fleetwood	See Fleetwood & Fylde
FLEETWOOD & FYLDE	South King Street, Blackpool, Lancashire FY1 4AX *Money to Blackpool Borough Council*
Flegg	Try Great Yarmouth
FLINTSHIRE EAST	The Old Rectory, Rectory Lane, Hawarden, Deeside, Flintshire CH5 3NN Website: www.flintshire.gov.uk
FLINTSHIRE WEST	Park Lane, Holywell, Flintshire CH8 7UR Website: www.flintshire.gov.uk
Foleshill	See Nuneaton & Bedworth, Rugby, Solihull North, Solihull South, or Mid Warwickshire
Folkestone	See Ashford with Shepway
Forden	See Welshpool & Llanfyllin
Fordingbridge	See Bournemouth
Forehoe	See Norwich
FOREST OF DEAN	Belle Vue Centre, 6 Belle Vue Road, Cinderford, Gloucs GL14 2AB Website: www.gloscc.gov.uk

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Freebridge Lynn	See King's Lynn
Frome	See Mendip
FULHAM	Old Town Hall, 553-561 Fulham Road, London SW6 1ET Website: www.lbhf.gov.uk
Fylde	See Fleetwood & Fylde
GAINSBOROUGH	156 Trinity Street, Gainsborough, Lincolnshire DN21 1JP Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk
Garstang	See Lancaster
GATESHEAD	Civic Centre, Regent Street, Gateshead, Tyne & Wear NE8 1HH Website: www.gateshead.gov.uk E-mail: library@gatesheadmbc.gov.uk
Gipping	See Gipping & Hartismere
GIPPING & HARTISMERE	3 Milton Road, Stowmarket, Suffolk IP14 1EZ
Glan(d)ford Brigg	See North Lincolnshire
Glendale	See Northumberland North First
Glossop	See High Peak
Gloucester	See Gloucester, Forest of Dean, Stroud or Cheltenham
GLOUCESTER	Maitland House, Spa Road, Gloucester, Gloucestershire GL1 1UY Website: www.gloscc.gov.uk
Gloucester City	See Gloucester, Forest of Dean, or Stroud
Gloucester Rural	See Gloucester, or Forest of Dean
Glyndwr	See Denbighshire South
Godstone	See East Surrey, West Surrey, or South East Surrey
GOOLE	Council Offices, Church Street, Goole, East Yorkshire DN14 5BG
Gosport	See South East Hampshire
Gower	See Neath Port Talbot, Pontypridd, or Swansea

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GRANTHAM	The Priory, Market Place, Grantham, Lincolnshire NG31 6LJ Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk *Money to Lincolnshire County Council* *See also* Leicestershire, or Sleaford
Grantham & West Kesteven	See Grantham
GRAVESEND*	132 Windmill Street, Gravesend, Kent DA12 1BE Website: www.kent.gov.uk
Great Boughton	See Chester & Ellesmere Port
Great Ouseburn	See North Yorkshire, Leeds or York
GREAT YARMOUTH	'Ferryside', High Road, Southtown, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk NR31 0PH Website: www.norfolk.gov.uk
GREENWICH	Town Hall, Wellington Street, London SE18 6PW. Website: www.greenwich.gov.uk
Grimsby	See North East Lincolnshire or North Lincolnshire
Guildford	See North Surrey, or West Surrey
Guiltcross	Try Wayland
Guisborough	See Redcar & Cleveland, North Yorkshire, & others
HACKNEY*	Town Hall, Mare Street, London E8 1EA Website: www.hackney.gov.uk *NB No postal service at present.*
Hailsham	See Eastbourne
HALIFAX	4 Carlton Street, Halifax, West Yorkshire HX1 2AH
Halstead	See Braintree
HALTON	Heath Road, Runcorn, Cheshire. WA7 5TN
Haltwhistle	See Northumberland West
Hambledon	See West Surrey
HAMMERSMITH	Nigel Playfair Avenue, London W6 9JY Website: www.lbhf.gov.uk *Money to London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham*
Hammersmith & Fulham	See Hammersmith

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Hampstead	See Camden
Hardingstone	See Northampton
HARINGEY	Civic Centre, High Road, Wood Green, London N22 4LE Website: www.haringey.gov.uk
HARLOW	Watergarden Offices, College Square, The High, Harlow, Essex CM20 1AG Website: www.essexcc.gov.uk
HARROW	Civic Centre, Station Road, Harrow, Middlesex HA1 2UX Website: www.harrow.gov.uk E-mail: shudson@harrow.gov.uk
Hartismere	See Gipping & Hartismere
HARTLEPOOL	Raby Road, Hartlepool, Durham TS24 8AF Website: www.hartlepool.gov.uk E-mail: registrar@hartlepool.co.uk
Hartley Wintney	See Basingstoke, or North East Hampshire
Harwich	See Colchester
Haslingden	See Hyndburn & Rossendale
Hastings	See Hastings & Rother
HASTINGS & ROTHER	Summerfields, Bohemia Road, Hastings, East Sussex TN34 1EX Website: www.eastsussexcc.gov.uk
HATFIELD	19B St. Albans Road East, Hatfield, Hertfordshire AL10 0NG Website: www.hertscc.gov.uk
Havant	See Havant, Droxford, Petersfield, Portsmouth, Gosport or Fareham
Havant	See South East Hampshire
HAVERFORDWEST	Tower Hill, Haverfordwest, Dyfed SA61 1SS Website: www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk
HAVERING	'Langtons', Billet Lane, Hornchurch, Essex RM11 1XL Website: www.havering.gov.uk
Hawarden	See Flintshire East

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HAY	The Borough Council Offices, Broad Street, Hay-on-Wye, Powys HR3 5BX Website: www.powys.gov.uk
Hayfield	See High Peak
HAYWARDS HEATH	West Sussex County Council Offices, Oaklands Road, Haywards Heath, West Sussex RH16 1SU Website: www.westsussex.gov.uk
He(l)msley	See North Yorkshire
Headington	See Oxford
Helston	See Camborne-Redruth, or Kerrier
Hemel Hempstead	See Dacorum
Hemsworth	See Barnsley, Pontefract, or North Yorkshire
Hendon	See Barnet
HENLEY	Easby House, 68 Northfield End, Henley on Thames, Oxfordshire RG9 2JW Website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk
Henstead	See Great Yarmouth, or Norwich
HEREFORD	County Offices, Bath Street, Hereford, Herefordshire HR1 2HQ Website: www.herefordshire.gov.uk
Hertford	See Hertford & Ware
HERTFORD & WARE	County Hall, Pegs Lane, Hertford, Hertfordshire SG13 8DE Website: www.hertscc.gov.uk
Hexham	See Northumberland West
Heywood	See Bury, or Rochdale
HIGH PEAK	Council Offices, Hayfield Road, Chapel-en-le-Frith, High Peak, Derbyshire SK23 0QJ Website: www.derbyshire.gov.uk
Highworth	See Swindon
HILLINGDON	Hillingdon Civic Centre, High Street, Uxbridge, Middlesex UB8 1UW Website: www.hillingdon.gov.uk
Hinckley	See Leicestershire
Hiraethog	See Colwyn, Denbighshire South, or Aberconwy
Hitchin	See Hitchin & Stevenage

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HITCHIN & STEVENAGE	Danesgate, Stevenage, Hertfordshire SG1 1WW Website: www.hertscc.gov.uk
Holbeach	See East Elloe or Fenland
Holbeck	Try Leeds
Holborn	See Camden
Holderness	See Beverley, or Hull
Hollingbourne	See Medway, or Maidstone
Holsworthy	See Torridge
Holyhead	See Ynys Mon
Holywell	See Flintshire West
Honiton	See East Devon
Hoo	See Medway
HORNCASTLE	Holmeleigh, Foundry Street, Horncastle, Lincolnshire LN9 6AQ Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk
HORSHAM	Town Hall, Market Square, Horsham, West Sussex RH12 1EU Website: www.westsussex.gov.uk
Horwich	See Bolton
Houghton le Spring	See Sunderland, and others
HOUNSLOW	88 Lampton Road, Hounslow, Middlesex TW3 4DW Website: www.hounslow.gov.uk
Hove	See Brighton & Hove
Howden	Beverley, Goole, Hull, Pocklington, York or North Yorkshire
Howdenshire	See North Yorkshire, Goole, Pocklington, or York
Hoxne	See Gipping & Hartismere
HUDDERSFIELD	Civic Centre, 11 High Street, Huddersfield, West Yorkshire HD1 2PL
HULL	Municipal Offices, 181-191 George Street, Kingston-upon-Hull, East Yorkshire HU1 3BY *Money to Hull City Council*
Hungerford	See West Berkshire
Hunslet	See Leeds

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
HUNTINGDON	Wykeham House, Market Hill, Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire PE29 3NN Website: www.huntingdonshire.gov.uk *Money to Cambridgeshire County Council*
Huntingdonshire North	See Peterborough
Hyde	See Tameside, or High Peak
HYNDBURN & ROSSENDALE	The Mechanics Institute, Willow Street, Accrington, Lancashire BB5 1LP *Money to Lancashire County Council*
Ilford	See Barking, Newham, or Redbridge
Ilkeston	See Erewash
Ince	See Wigan & Leigh, West Lancashire, or St. Helens
IPSWICH	St. Peter House, County Hall,16 Grimwade Street, Ipswich, Suffolk IP4 1LP
Isle of Sheppey	See Canterbury with Swale
ISLE OF WIGHT (I.O.W.)	County Hall, High Street, Newport, Isle of Wight PO30 1UD Website: www.isleofwight.gov.uk
ISLES OF SCILLY	Town Hall, St. Mary's, Isles of Scilly TR21 0LW Website: www.cornwall.gov.uk/bdm
ISLINGTON	Finsbury Town Hall, Rosebery Avenue, London EC1R 4QT Website: www.islington.gov.uk *Money to London Borough of Islington*
JARROW	Suffolk Street, Jarrow, Tyne & Wear NE32 5BJ
Keighley	See Keighley, Bradford, or North Yorkshire
KEIGHLEY	Town Hall, Bow Street, Keighley, West Yorkshire BD21 3PA
Kendal	See Kendal, or Penrith
KENDAL	County Offices, Kendal, Cumbria LA9 4RQ Website: www.cumbria.gov.uk
Kensington	See Kensington & Chelsea

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KENSINGTON & CHELSEA	Chelsea Old Town Hall, Kings Road, London SW3 5EE Website: www.rbkc.gov.uk *Money to Royal Borough of Kensington & Chelsea*
KERRIER	The Willows, Church Street, Helston, Cornwall TR13 8NJ Website: www.cornwall.gov.uk/bdm
KETTERING	75 London Road, Kettering, Northamptonshire NN15 7PQ Website: www.northamptonshire.gov.uk *Money to Northamptonshire County Council*
Ketton	See Rutland
Keynsham	See Bath & North East Somerset, Bristol, Cirencester, South Gloucestershire and others
KIDDERMINSTER	Council Offices, Bewdley Road, Kidderminster, Worcestershire DY11 6RL Website: www.worcestershire.gov.uk
KINGS LYNN	St. Margaret's House, St. Margaret's Place, Kings Lynn, Norfolk PE30 5DW Website: www.norfolk.gov.uk
Kings Norton	Try Birmingham
Kingsbridge	See South Hams
Kingsclere	See Basingstoke, or Kingsclere & Whitchurch
KINGSCLERE & WHITCHURCH	24 Swan Street, Kingsclere, near Newbury, Berkshire RG20 5PJ Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk
KINGSTON ON THAMES	35 Coombe Road, Kingston on Thames, Surrey KT2 7BA Website: www.kingston.gov.uk
Kingston, Surrey	See Kingston on Thames, Richmond on Thames, East Surrey, Merton, Sutton, or North Surrey
Kingswinford	See Dudley, South Staffordshire, Stourbridge, Walsall, Sandwell, or Wolverhampton
Kingswood	See Bristol
KINGTON	Old Court House, Market Hall Street, Kington, Herefordshire HR5 3DP Website: www.herefordshire.gov.uk

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Kirk Deighton	See North Yorkshire, Leeds or York
Knaresborough	See North Yorkshire, Leeds or York
Knighton	See Clun, Leominster, or Radnorshire East
KNOWSLEY	District Council Offices, High Street, Prescot, Merseyside L34 3LH
Knutsford	See Cheshire East
LAMBETH	357/361 Brixton Road, London SW9 7DA Website: www.lambeth.gov.uk E-mail: rcedwards@lambeth.gov.uk
Lampeter	See Cardiganshire Central
LANCASTER	4 Queen Street, Lancaster, Lancashire LA1 1RS
Lanchester	See Durham Northern, and others
Langport	See Sedgemoor, or Yeovil
LAUNCESTON	'Hendra', Dunheved Road, Launceston, Cornwall PL15 9JG Website: www.cornwall.gov.uk/bdm
LEDBURY	Town Council Offices, Church Street, Ledbury, Herefordshire HR8 1DH Website: www.herefordshire.gov.uk
LEEDS	Belgrave House, Belgrave Street, Leeds, West Yorkshire LS2 8DQ Website: www.leeds.gov.uk
Leeds (N & S)	See Leeds
Leek	See Staffordshire Moorlands
LEICESTER	5 Pocklingtons Walk, Leicester, Leicestershire LE1 6BQ
LEICESTERSHIRE	County Hall, Leicester Road, Glenfield, Leicester, Leicestershire LE3 8RN Website: www.leicestershire.gov.uk E-mail: registration@leics.gov.uk *Money to Leicestershire County Council*
Leicestershire Central	See Leicestershire
Leigh	See Wigan & Leigh
Leighton Buzzard	See Bedfordshire
LEOMINSTER	The Old Priory, Church Street, Leominster, Herefordshire HR6 8EQ Website: www.herefordshire.gov.uk

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
LEWES	Southover Grange, Southover Road, Lewes, East Sussex BN7 1TP Website: www.eastsussexcc.gov.uk
LEWISHAM	368 Lewisham High Street, London SE13 6LQ Website: www.lewisham.gov.uk *Money to London Borough of Lewisham*
Lexden	See Braintree, or Colchester
Leyburn	See North Yorkshire
LICHFIELD	The Old Library Building, Bird Street, Lichfield, Staffordshire WS13 6PN Website: www.staffordshire.gov.uk
LINCOLN	4 Lindum Road, Lincoln, Lincolnshire LN2 1NN Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk
Linton	See Cambridge, or Uttlesford
LISKEARD	'Graylands', Dean Street, Liskeard, Cornwall PL14 4AH Website: www.cornwall/gov.uk/bdm
Littleborough	See Rochdale, or Hyndburn & Rossendale
LIVERPOOL	Cotton Exchange, Old Hall Street, Liverpool, Lancs L3 9UF Website: www.liverpool.gov.uk/lro E-mail: mike.brierley@liverpool.gov.uk
Liverpool (N & S)	See Liverpool
Llandilo-fawr	See Carmarthen
Llandovery	See Carmarthen
LLANELLI	County Council Offices, Swansea Road, Llanelli, Dyfed SA15 3DJ Website: www.carmarthenshire.gov.uk
Llanelly	See Llanelli
Llanfyllin	See Welshpool & Llanfyllin
Llanrwst	See Aberconwy, Colwyn, or Denbighshire South
Lleyn	See Dwyfor
Loddon	See Norwich
LONDON CITY	Finsbury Town Hall, Rosebery Ave, London EC1R 4QT Website: www.cityoflondon.gov.uk

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Long Ashton	See Bristol, or North Somerset
Long Sutton	See East Elloe
Longtown	See Carlisle
Lothingland	See Waveney
Loughborough	See Leicestershire
LOUTH	Town Hall, Eastgate, Louth, Lincolnshire LN11 9NW Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk
Lower Agbrigg	See Wakefield, or Leeds
LUDLOW	Council Offices, Stone House, Corve Street, Ludlow, Shropshire SY8 1DG Website: www.shropshire.gov.uk
Lunesdale	See Lancaster
LUTON	6 George Street West, Luton, Bedfordshire LU1 2BJ Website: www.luton.gov.uk
Lutterworth	See Leicestershire
Lymington	See New Forest
Macclesfield	See Cheshire East
MACHYNLLETH	11 Penrallt Street, Machynlleth, Powys SY20 8AG Website: www.powys.gov.uk
Madeley	See Bridgnorth, Shrewsbury, or Telford & Wrekin
Maelor	See Wrexham, Welshpool & Llanfyllin, or Denbighshire South
Maidenhead	See Windsor & Maidenhead
MAIDSTONE*	The Archbishop's Palace, Palace Gardens, Mill Street, Maidstone, Kent ME15 6YE Website: www.kent.gov.uk
Maldon	See Chelmsford
Malling	See Maidstone
Malmesbury	See Chippenham
Malton	See Bridlington, or North Yorkshire
MALVERN	Hatherton Lodge, Avenue Road, Malvern, Worcestershire WR14 3AG Website: www.worcestershire.gov.uk

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
MANCHESTER	Cumberland House, Spinning Field, Off Deansgate, Manchester, Lancashire M60 3RG. Website: www.manchester.gov.uk E-mail: register-office@manchester.gov.uk *Money to Manchester City Council*
Manchester (N & S)	See Manchester
MANSFIELD	Nottinghamshire County Council Offices, St. John Street, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire NG18 1QH Website: www.nottscc.gov.uk
March	See Fenland
Market Bosworth	See Leicestershire
Market Drayton	See Newcastle-under-Lyme, or North Shropshire
Market Harborough	See Leicestershire
Marlborough	See Devizes & Marlborough
Martley	See Malvern
Marylebone	See Westminster
MEDWAY*	Ingleside, 114 Maidstone Road, Chatham, Kent ME4 6DJ Website: www.medway.gov.uk
Melksham	See Devizes & Marlborough, or Trowbridge
Melton & Rutland	See Leicestershire, or Rutland
Melton Mowbray	See Leicestershire, or Rutland
MENDIP	19b Commercial Road, Shepton Mallet, Somerset BA4 5BU Website: www.somerset.gov.uk
Mere	See Salisbury, or Warminster
Meriden	See Solihull North, or Solihull South
Merioneth East	See Penllyn
Merioneth North	See Ardudwy
Merioneth South	See De Meirionydd
MERTHYR TYDFIL	Ground Floor, Castle House, Glebeland Street, Merthyr Tydfil, Glamorgan CF47 8AT Website: www.merthyr.gov.uk
MERTON	Morden Cottage, Morden Hall Road, Morden, Surrey SM4 5JA Website: www.merton.gov.uk

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MID DEVON	The Great House, 1 St. Peter Street, Tiverton, Devon EX16 6NY Website: www.devon-cc.gov.uk
Mid Glamorgan	See Bridgend, Pontypridd, Cardiff, or Vale of Glamorgan
MID POWYS	Powys County Hall, Llandrindod Wells, Powys LD1 5LG Website: www.powys.gov.uk
Mid Surrey	See East Surrey
MID WARWICKSHIRE	Pageant House, 2 Jury Street, Warwick, Warwickshire CV34 4EW Website: www.warwickshire.gov.uk
Middlesborough	See Redcar & Cleveland, Stockton on Tees, or Middlesbrough
MIDDLESBROUGH	Corporation Road, Middlesbrough, North Yorkshire TS1 2DA Website: www.durham.gov.uk
Middlesex South	See Hounslow, Richmond upon Thames, Kingston upon Thames, or North Surrey
Middleton	See Oldham, or Rochdale
Midhurst	See Chichester
Midhurst & Petworth	See Chichester
Mildenhall	See Bury St. Edmunds
Mile End Old Town (M.E.O.T.)	See Tower Hamlets
MILLOM	Council Centre, St. George's Road, Millom, Cumbria LA18 4DD Website: www.cumbria.gov.uk
Milton	See Canterbury with Swale
MILTON KEYNES	Bracknell House, Aylesbury Street, Bletchley, Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire MK2 2BE. Website: www.buckscc.gov.uk *Money to Buckinghamshire County Council*
Mitford	See East Dereham
Monmouth	See Monmouth, or Torfaen
MONMOUTH	Coed Glas, Firs Road, Abergavenny, Monmouthshire NP7 5LE Website: www.monmouthshire.gov.uk

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Montgomery	See Welshpool & Llanfyllin
Morpeth	See Northumberland Central
Mutford	See Waveney
Nantwich	See Chester & Ellesmere Port, or South Cheshire
Narberth	See Haverfordwest
Neath	See Neath Port Talbot, Pontypridd, or Swansea
NEATH PORT TALBOT	119 London Road, Neath, Glamorgan SA11 1HL
Nelson	See Burnley & Pendle, Ribble Valley, or Hyndburn & Rossendale
NEW FOREST	Public Offices, 65 Christchurch Road, Ringwood, Hampshire BH24 1DH Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk
NEWARK	County Offices, 20 Balderton Gate, Newark, Nottinghamshire NG24 1UW Website: www.nottscc.gov.uk
Newbury	See West Berkshire
Newcastle (in) Emlyn, Wales	See Cardiganshire South
NEWCASTLE UNDER LYME	20 Sidmouth Ave, The Brampton, Newcastle under Lyme, Staffordshire ST5 0QN Website: www.staffordshire.gov.uk
NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE	Civic Centre, Barras Bridge, Newcastle upon Tyne, Tyne & Wear NE1 8PS Website: www.newcastle.gov.uk
Newent	See Forest of Dean, or Gloucester
NEWHAM	Passmore Edwards Building, 207 Plashet Grove, East Ham, London E6 1BT Website: www.newham.gov.uk
Newhaven	See Eastbourne, or Lewes
Newington	Try Southwark
Newmarket	See Bury St. Edmunds
NEWPORT	8 Gold Tops, Newport, South Wales NP20 4PH Website: www.monmouthshire.gov.uk
Newport Pagnell, Bucks	See Aylesbury Vale, or Milton Keynes
Newport, Mon	See Newport

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Newport, Salop	See Cannock Chase, South Staffordshire, or Telford & Wrekin
Newton Abbot	See Teignbridge
NEWTOWN	Room 4, Council Offices, The Park, Newtown, Powys SY16 2NZ Website: www.powys.gov.uk
Newtown, Lancs	See St. Helens, or Warrington
Newtown, Montgomery	See Newtown
North Aylesford	See Maidstone
North Bierley	See Bradford, Dewsbury, Keighley, Leeds, or North Yorkshire
North Bucks	See Milton Keynes
North Cleveland	See Hartlepool
NORTH COTSWOLD	Council Offices, High Street, Moreton-in-Marsh, Gloucestershire GL56 0AZ Website: www.gloscc.gov.uk
NORTH DEVON	Civic Centre, Barnstaple, Devon EX31 1ED
NORTH DORSET	Council Offices, 'Nordon', Salisbury Rd, Blandford, Dorset DT11 7LN Website: www.dorset-cc.gov.uk
North East Cheshire	See Cheshire East, or Stockport
NORTH EAST HAMPSHIRE	30 Grosvenor Road, Aldershot, Hampshire GU11 3EB Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk
NORTH EAST LINCOLNSHIRE	Town Hall Square, Grimsby, North East Lincolnshire DN31 1HX
North Kesteven	See Lincoln
NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE	92 Oswald Road, Scunthorpe, Lincolnshire DN15 7PA Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk
NORTH SHROPSHIRE	Edinburgh House, New Street, Wem, Shrewsbury, Shropshire SY4 5DB Website: www.shropshire.gov.uk
NORTH SOMERSET	41 The Boulevard, Weston-super-Mare, North Somerset BS23 1PG Website: www.n-somerset.gov.uk

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NORTH SURREY	'Rylston', 81 Oatlands Drive, Weybridge, Surrey. KT13 9LN
NORTH TYNESIDE	Maritime Chambers, 1 Howard Street, North Shields, North Tyneside NE30 1LZ Website: www.northtyneside.gov.uk
North Tyneside East	See North Tyneside
North Tyneside West	See North Tyneside
NORTH WALSHAM	18 Kings Arms Street, North Walsham, Norfolk NR28 9JX Website: www.norfolk.gov.uk
NORTH WARWICKSHIRE	First Floor, Warwick House, Ratcliffe Street, Atherstone, Warwickshire CV9 1JP Website: www.warwickshire.gov.uk
North Witchford	See Fenland
NORTH YORKSHIRE	Bilton House, 31 Park Parade, Harrogate, North Yorkshire HG1 5AG Website: www.northyorks.gov.uk *Money to NYCC*
Northallerton	See North Yorkshire
NORTHAMPTON	Guildhall, St. Giles Square, Northampton, Northamptonshire NN1 1DE Website: www.northamptonshire.gov.uk *Money to Northamptonshire County Council*
Northampton & Hardingstone	See Northampton
Northleach	See Cheltenham, or Cirencester
NORTHUMBERLAND CENTRAL NORTH FIRST NORTH SECOND WEST	 94 Newgate Street, Morpeth, Northumberland NE61 1BU 49/51 Bridge Street, Berwick upon Tweed, Northumberland TD15 1ES 6 Market Place, Alnwick, Northumberland NE66 1HP Abbey Gate House, Market Street, Hexham, Northumberland NE48 3LX
Northumberland South	See Newcastle upon Tyne, Northumberland Central, or North Tyneside
Northwich	See Cheshire Central

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Norton Radstock	See Bath & North East Somerset, South Gloucestershire, or Mendip
NORWICH	Churchman House, 71 Bethel Street, Norwich, Norfolk NR2 1NR Website: www.norfolk.gov.uk
Norwich Outer	See Norwich
NOTTINGHAM	50 Shakespeare Street, Nottingham, Nottinghamshire NG1 4FP
Nuneaton	See Nuneaton & Bedworth
NUNEATON & BEDWORTH	Riversley Park, Coton Road, Nuneaton, Warwickshire CV11 5HA Website: www.warwickshire.gov.uk
Oakham	See Rutland
Ogwr	See Bridgend, or Pontypridd
Okehampton	See West Devon
Oldbury	See Sandwell, or Stourbridge
OLDHAM	Metropolitan House, Hobson Street, Oldham, Lancashire OL1 1PY
Ongar	See Epping Forest, or Harlow
Ormskirk	See Sefton South, or West Lancashire
Orsett	See Barking & Dagenham, Brentwood, Havering, or Redbridge
OSWESTRY	Holbache Road, Oswestry, Shropshire SY11 1AH Website: www.shropshire.gov.uk
Otley	See Leeds
Oundle	See Oundle & Thrapston
OUNDLE & THRAPSTON	17 Mill Road, Oundle, Peterborough, Northamptonshire PE8 4BW Website: www.northamptonshire.gov.uk
Overton	See Wrexham, Welshpool & Llanfyllin, or Denbighshire South
OXFORD	Tidmarsh Lane, Oxford, Oxfordshire OX1 1NS Website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk
Paddington	See Westminster
Pancras	See Camden
Pateley Bridge	See North Yorkshire
Patrington	See Beverley, or Hull
Pembroke	See South Pembrokeshire,

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Penistone	See Barnsley, or Huddersfield
Penkridge	See South Staffordshire
PENLLYN	Fron Fair, High Street, Bala, Gwynedd LL23 7AD Website: www.gwynedd.gov.uk
PENRITH	Friargate, Penrith, Cumbria CA11 7XR Website: www.cumbria.gov.uk *Money to Cumbria County Council*
PENZANCE	Alphington House, Alverton Place, Penzance, Cornwall TR18 4JJ Website: www.cornwall.gov.uk/bdm
PERSHORE	Council Offices, Queen Elizabeth Drive, Station Road, Pershore, Worcestershre WR10 1PT Website: www.worcestershire.gov.uk
PETERBOROUGH	'The Lawns', 33 Thorpe Road, Peterborough, Cambridgeshire PE3 6AB Website: www.peterborough.gov.uk
PETERSFIELD	The Old College, College Street, Petersfield, Hampshire GU31 4AG Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk
Petworth	See Chichester
Pewsey	See Devizes & Marlborough
Pickering	See North Yorkshire
Plomesgate	See Deben, Gipping & Hartismere, or Waveney
PLOUGHLEY	Waverley House, Queen's Avenue, Bicester, Oxfordshire OX6 8PY Website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk
Ploughley & Bullingdon	See Ploughley, or Bullingdon
PLYMOUTH	Lockyer Street, The Hoe, Plymouth, Devon PL1 2QD Website: www.plymouth.gov.uk
Plympton	See Plymouth
Plympton St. Mary	See Plymouth
Pocklington	See Pocklington and others
POCKLINGTON	Burnby Hall, Pocklington, East Yorkshire YO4 2QQ
Pontardawe	See Neath Port Talbot, Pontypridd, or Swansea

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PONTEFRACT	Town Hall, Pontefract, West Yorkshire WF8 1PG
Pontypool	See Torfaen, or Monmouth
PONTYPRIDD	Court House Street, Pontypridd, Glamorgan CF37 1LJ
POOLE	Civic Centre Annexe, Park Road, Poole, Dorset BH15 2RN Website: www.poole.gov.uk
Poplar (& Bethnal Green)	See Tower Hamlets
Portsea Island	See Portsmouth
PORTSMOUTH*	Mildam House, Burnaby Road, Portsmouth, Hampshire PO1 3AF Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk E-mail: registrars@portsmouth.gov.uk *Money to Portsmouth City Council*
Potterspury	See Milton Keynes, or Towcester
Prescot	See Knowsley, St. Helens
Presteigne	See Radnorshire East
PRESTON & SOUTH RIBBLE	PO Box 24, Bow Lane, Preston, Lancashire PR1 8SE
Preston, Lancs	See Preston & South Ribble
Prestwich	See Manchester
Pusey	See Devizes & Marlborough
Pwllheli	See Caernarvon
Pwllheli & Portmadog	See Caernarvon
Radford, Notts	See Nottingham
Radford, Warks	See Coventry
RADNORSHIRE EAST	2 Station Road, Knighton, Powys LD7 1DU Website: www.powys.gov.uk
Radnorshire West	See Mid Powys
READING	Yeomanry House, 131 Castle Hill, Reading, Berkshire RG1 7TA Website: www.westberks.gov.uk
Reading & Wokingham	See Reading, or Wokingham

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REDBRIDGE	Queen Victoria House, 794 Cranbrook Road, Barkingside, Ilford, Essex IG6 1JS Website: www.redbridge.gov.uk
REDCAR & CLEVELAND	Westgate, Guisborough, Redcar & Cleveland TS14 6AP
REDDITCH	29 Easmore Road, Redditch, Worcestershire B98 8ER Website: www.worcestershire.gov.uk
Redruth	See Camborne-Redruth
Reeth	See North Yorkshire
Reigate	See East Surrey, West Surrey, or South East Surrey
Repton	See South Derbyshire
Retford	See East Retford
Rhayader	See Mid Powys
Rhuddlan	See Denbighshire North, or Aberconwy
RIBBLE VALLEY	Off Pimlico Road, Clitheroe, Lancashire BB7 2BW *Money to Lancashire County Council*
RICHMOND UPON THAMES	1 Spring Terrace, Richmond, Surrey TW9 1LW Website: www.richmond.gov.uk
Richmond, Surrey	See Richmond on Thames, and others
Richmond, Yorks	See North Yorkshire
Ringwood	See New Forest, or Bournemouth
Ringwood & Fordingbridge	See New Forest
Ripon	See North Yorkshire
Risbridge	See Braintree, or Bury St. Edmunds
ROCHDALE	Town Hall, The Esplanade, Rochdale, Lancashire OL16 1AB Website: www.rochdale.gov.uk
Rochford	See Castle Point & Rochford
Romford	See Barking & Dagenham, Havering, or Redbridge
Romney Marsh	See Ashford with Shepway
Romsey	See Romsey or Andover
ROMSEY	Hayter House, Hayter Gardens, Romsey, Hampshire SO51 7QU Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Romsey & Stockbridge	See Andover or Romsey
ROSS	Old Chapel, Cantilupe Road, Ross on Wye, Herefordshire HR9 7AN Website: www.herefordshire.gov.uk
Rothbury	See Northumberland North Second
Rother Valley	See Rotherham
ROTHERHAM	Bailey House, Rawmarsh Road, Rotherham, South Yorkshire S60 1TX Website: www.rotherham.gov.uk
Rotherhithe	See Southwark
Rowley Regis	See Dudley, South Staffordshire, Stourbridge, Walsall, Sandwell, or Wolverhampton
Royston	See Bishop's Stortford, or Hitchin & Stevenage
RUGBY	Council Offices, 5 Bloxam Place, Rugby, Warwickshire CV21 3DS Website: www.warwickshire.gov.uk
Runcorn	See Halton, Cheshire Central, or Warrington
RUSHCLIFFE	The Hall, Bridgford Road, West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire NG2 6AT Website: www.nottscc.gov.uk
Ruthin	See Denbighshire South
Rutland	See Rutland, or Leicestershire
RUTLAND	Council Offices, Catmose, Oakham, Rutland, Leicestershire LE15 6JU Website: www.rutland.gov.uk
Rye	See Hastings & Rother
Ryedale	See North Yorkshire
Saddleworth	See Oldham
Saffron Walden	See Uttlesford
SALFORD	'Kingslea', Barton Road, Swinton, Manchester, Lancashire M27 5WH Website: www.salford.gov.uk
SALISBURY	The Laburnams, 50 Bedwin Street, Salisbury, Wiltshire SP1 3UW Website: www.wiltshire.gov.uk
Samford	See Ipswich
SANDWELL	Highfields, High Street, West Bromwich, Sandwell, West Midlands B70 8RJ

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Scarborough	See North Yorkshire
Scilly Isles	See Isles of Scilly
Sculcoates	See Beverley, or Hull
Scunthorpe	See North Lincolnshire
Scunthorpe & Barton-upon-Humber	See North Lincolnshire
Sedbergh	See Kendal
Sedgefield	See Durham Western, and others
SEDGEMOOR	Morgan House, Mount Street, Bridgwater, Somerset TA6 3ER Website: www.somerset.gov.uk
SEFTON NORTH	Town Hall, Corporation Street, Southport, Merseyside. PR8 1DA
SEFTON SOUTH	Crosby Town Hall, Great Georges Road, Waterloo, Liverpool, Merseyside L22 1RB
Seisdon	See South Staffordshire
Selby	See North Yorkshire
Settle	See North Yorkshire
Sevenoaks	See Gravesend, or Tunbridge Wells
Shaftesbury	See North Dorset
Shardlow	See Derby
SHEFFIELD	Surrey Place, Sheffield, South Yorkshire S1 1YA
Sheppey	See Canterbury with Swale
Shepton Mallet	See Bath & North East Somerset, Mendip, South Gloucestershire, or Yeovil
Shepway	See Ashford with Shepway
Sherborne	See North Dorset
Shifnal	See Bridgnorth, or Telford & Wrekin
Shipston on Stour	See South Warwickshire
Shoreditch	See Hackney
SHREWSBURY	The Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury, Shropshire SY2 6ND Website: www.shropshire.gov.uk
Sidcup	See Bexley, or Bromley
Sittingbourne	See Canterbury with Swale
Skegness	See Spilsby

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Skipton	See North Yorkshire
Skirlaugh	See Beverley, or Hull
Sleaford	See Sleaford, Grantham, or Lincoln
SLEAFORD	PO Box 2, Council Offices, Eastgate, Sleaford, Lincolnshire NG34 7EB Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk
Sleaford & East Kesteven	See Sleaford
SLOUGH	The Centre, Farnham Road, Slough, Berkshire SL1 4UT
Smallburgh	See North Walsham
Smethwick	See Birmingham, Cannock Chase, South Staffordshire, or Sandwell
Sodbury	See South Gloucestershire
Solihull	See Solihull North, or Solihull South
SOLIHULL NORTH	The Library, Stephenson Drive, Chelmsley Wood, Solihull, West Midlands B37 5TA Website: www.solihull.gov.uk
SOLIHULL SOUTH	Homer Road, Solihull, West Midlands B91 3QZ Website: www.solihull.gov.uk
South Cheshire	See Cheshire Central
SOUTH DERBYSHIRE	Traffic Street, Derby, Derbyshire DE1 2NL
SOUTH DORSET	The Guildhall, St. Edmund Street, Weymouth, Dorset DT4 8AS Website: www.dorset-cc.gov.uk
SOUTH EAST HAMPSHIRE	4–8 Osborn Road South, Fareham, Hampshire PO16 7DG Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk
SOUTH EAST SURREY	44 Reigate Hill, Reigate, Surrey RH2 9NG
South Glamorgan	See Cardiff, or Vale of Glamorgan
SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE	Poole Court, Poole Court Drive, Yate, Bristol, South Gloucestershire BS37 5PT Website: www.southglos.gov.uk *Money to South Gloucestershire Council*

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
SOUTH HAMS	Follaton House, Plymouth Road, Totnes, Devon TQ9 5NE Website: www.devon-cc.gov.uk
South Molton	See Mid Devon
South Oxfordshire	See Henley
SOUTH PEMBROKESHIRE	East Back, Pembroke, Pembrokeshire SA71 4HL Website: www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk
SOUTH SHIELDS	18 Barrington Street, South Shields, Tyne & Wear NE33 1AH
SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE	Civic Centre, Gravel Hill, Wombourne, Woverhampton, Staffordshire WV5 9HA Website: www.staffordshire.gov.uk
South Stoneham	See Southampton, or Romsey
SOUTH WARWICKSHIRE	7 Rother Sreet., Stratford-on-Avon, Warwickshire CV37 6LU Website: www.warwickshire.gov.uk
Southam	See Mid Warwickshire
SOUTHAMPTON*	6a Bugle St., Southampton, Hampshire SO14 2LX Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk E-mail: registrars@southampton.gov.uk
Southend on Sea	See Castle Point & Rochford
Southport	See Sefton North
SOUTHWARK	34 Peckham Road, London SE5 8QA Website: www.southwark.gov.uk
Southwell	See Mansfield, or Newark
SPALDING	Sessions House, Spalding, Lincolnshire PE11 1BB Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk
Spen Valley	See Dewsbury, or Leeds
SPILSBY	Offord House, Church Street, Spilsby, Lincolnshire PE23 5EF
ST. ALBANS	Hertfordshire House, St. Albans, Hertfordshire AL1 3JZ
St. Asaph	See Denbighshore North, or Aberconwy
ST. AUSTELL	Council Offices, 12 Carlyon Road, St. Austell, Cornwall PL25 4LD

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
St. Columb	See Bodmin, St. Austell, or Truro
St. Faith's	See Norwich
St. George Hanover Square	See Westminster
St. George in the East	See Tower Hamlets
St. George Southwark	See Southwark
ST. GERMANS	Plougastel Drive, Saltash, Cornwall PL12 6DL
St. Giles in the Fields	See Westminster
ST. HELENS	Central Street, St. Helens, Merseyside WA10 1UJ
St. Ives	See Huntingdon
St. James Westminster	See Westminster
St. Lukes	See Islington
St. Martin in the Fields	See Westminster
St. Marylebone	See Westminster
St. Neots	See Huntingdon
St. Olave Southwark	See Southwark
St. Pancras	See Camden
St. Saviour Southwark	See Southwark
St. Thomas	See Exeter, East Devon, or Mid Devon
STAFFORD	Eastgate House, 79 Eastgate Street, Stafford, Staffordshire ST16 2NG Website: www.staffordshire.gov.uk
STAFFORDSHIRE MOORLANDS	High Street, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 5EA Website: www.staffordshire.gov.uk/registration
Staincliffe	See North Yorkshire
Staincross	See Barnsley
Staines	Ealing, Hillingdon, Hounslow, or Richmond Upon Thames
STAMFORD	Municipal Buildings, 2 St. Mary's Hill, Stamford, Lincolnshire PE9 2DR Website: www.lincolnshire.gov.uk

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Stepney	See Tower Hamlets
Stevenage	See Hitchin & Stevenage
Steyning	See Haywards Heath, Brighton & Hove, or Worthing
Stockbridge	See Andover or Romsey
STOCKPORT	Greenhale House, Picadilly, Stockport, Cheshire SK1 3DY *Money to Stockport Metropolitan Borough Council*
Stockton	See Stockton-on-Tees, Redcar & Cleveland, and Others
STOCKTON-ON-TEES	Nightingale House, Balaclava Street, Stockton-on-Tees, Durham. TS18 2AL
Stoke & Wolstanton	See Newcastle-under-Lyme, or Stoke -on-Trent
Stoke Damerel	Try Plymouth
Stoke Newington	See Hackney
STOKE-ON-TRENT	Town Hall, Hanley, Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire ST1 1QQ
Stokesley	See North Yorkshire, Redcar & Cleveland, and others
Stone	See Stafford
STOURBRIDGE	Crown Lane, Crown Centre, Stourbridge, West Midlands DY8 1YA
Stow on the Wold, Gloucs	See Cirencester, or North Cotswold
Stow, Suffolk	See Bury St. Edmunds, or Gipping & Hartismere
Strand	See Westminster
Stratford on Avon	See South Warwickshire
STRATTON	The Parkhouse Centre, Ergue Gaberic Way, Bude, Cornwall EX23 8LF Website: www.cornwall.gov.uk/bdm
Strood (& Hoo)	See Medway
STROUD	Parliament Street, Stroud, Gloucestershire GL5 1DY Website: www.gloscc.gov.uk
Sturminster	See North Dorset
SUDBURY	14 Cornard Road, Sudbury, Suffolk CO10 2XA

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
SUNDERLAND	Town Hall & Civic Centre, PO Box 108, Sunderland, Durham SR2 7DN Website: www.sunderland.gov.uk
Surrey Mid-Eastern	See East Surrey
Surrey North-Eastern	See Merton, or Sutton
Surrey Northern	See Kingston-upon-Thames, Richmond upon Thames, East Surrey, or North Surrey
Surrey North-Western	See North Surrey
Surrey South-Eastern	See West Surrey, or South-East Surrey
Surrey South-Western	See West Surrey
SUTTON	Russettings, 25 Worcester Road, Sutton, Surrey SM2 6PR Website: www.sutton.gov.uk
Sutton Coldfield	See Birmingham
Swadlincote	See South Derbyshire
Swaffham	See Wayland
Swale	See Canterbury with Swale
SWANSEA	County Hall, Swansea, West Glamorgan SA1 3SN Website: www.swansea.gov.uk E-mail: registrars@swansea.gov.uk
SWINDON	Aspen House (1st Floor), Temple Street, Swindon, Wiltshire SN1 1SQ Website: www.wiltshire.gov.uk
Tadcaster	See North Yorkshire, Leeds, Pontefract, or York
TAMESIDE	Town Hall, King Street, Dukinfield, Cheshire SK16 4LA Website: www.tameside.gov.uk
Tamworth	See East Staffordshire, Lichfield, or Staffordshire Moorlands
TAUNTON	Flook House, Belvedere Road, Taunton, Somerset TA1 1BT Website: www.somerset.gov.uk
Taunton Deane	See Taunton
Tavistock	See West Devon
Teesdale	See Durham South Western, or Durham Western

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Teeside (& Teeside North & South)	See Redcar & Cleveland, Stockton-on-Tees, or Middlesbrough
TEIGNBRIDGE	15 Devon Square, Newton Abbot, Devon TQ12 2HN Website: www.devon-cc.gov.uk
TELFORD & WREKIN	The Beeches, 29 Vineyard Road, Wellington, Telford, Shropshire TF1 1HB Website: www.telford.gov.uk E-mail: telford@wrekin.gov.uk *Money to Telford & Wrekin Council*
TENBURY	Council Offices, Teme St., Tenbury, Worcestershire WR15 8AD Website: www.worcestershire.gov.uk
Tendring	See Colchester
Tenterden	See Ashford with Shepway
Tetbury	See Cirencester
Tewkesbury	See Cheltenham, Forest of Dean, or Gloucester
Thakeham	See Worthing
Thame	See Aylesbury Vale, Bullingdon, or Ploughley
Thanet	See Thanet with Dover
THANET WITH DOVER	Aberdeen House, 68 Ellington Road, Ramsgate, Kent CT11 9ST Website: www.kent.gov.uk *Money to County Council*
Thetford	See Downham, or Wayland
Thingoe	Try Bury St. Edmunds
Thirsk	See North Yorkshire
Thornbury	See South Gloucesterhire
Thorne	See Barnsley, or Doncaster
Thrapston	See Oundle & Thrapston
THURROCK	2 Quarry Hill, Grays, Essex RM17 5BT
Ticehurst	See Hastings & Rother, Tunbridge Wells, or Uckfield
Tisbury	See Salisbury, or Warminster
Tiverton	See Mid Devon
TODMORDEN	Municipal Offices, Rise Lane, Todmorden, Lancashire OL14 7AB
Tonbridge	See Tunbridge Wells

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
TORBAY	Oldway Mansions, Torbay Road, Paignton, Devon TQ3 2TU Website: www.torbay.gov.uk E-mail: registra@torbay.gov.uk
TORFAEN	Hanbury Road, Pontypool, Torfaen NP4 6YG Website: www.monmouthshire.gov.uk
TORRIDGE	Council Offices, Windmill Lane, Northam, near Bideford, Devon EX39 1BY Website: www.devon-cc.gov.uk
Torrington	See Torridge
Totnes	See South Hams
TOWCESTER	'Sunnybanks', 55 Brackley Road, Towcester, Northamptonshire NN12 6DH Website: www.northamptonshire.gov.uk
TOWER HAMLETS	Bromley Public Hall, Bow Road, London E3 3AA Website: www.towerhamlets.gov.uk
Toxteth Park	See Liverpool
TRAFFORD	Town Hall, Tatton Road, Sale, Cheshire M33 1ZF
Tregaron	See Cardiganshire Central
TROWBRIDGE	County Hall, Trowbridge, Wiltshire BA14 8EZ Website: www.wiltshire.gov.uk
TRURO	Dalvenie House, New County Hall, Truro, Cornwall TR1 3AY Website: www.cornwall.gov.uk/bdm
TUNBRIDGE WELLS*	Divisional County Offices, 39 Grove Hill Road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN1 1SL Website: www.kent.gov.uk
Tunstead	Try North Walsham
Tynemouth	See North Tyneside
UCKFIELD	Beaconwood, Beacon Road, Crowborough, East Sussex TN6 1AR Website: www.eastsussexcc.gov.uk

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
ULVERSTON	Town Hall, Queen Street, Ulverston, Cumbria LA12 7AR Website: www.cumbria.gov.uk
Upper Agbrigg	See Huddersfield
Uppingham	See Rutland
Upton upon Severn	See Malvern
UTTLESFORD	Council Offices, London Road, Saffron Walden, Essex CB11 4ER
Uttoxeter	See Ashbourne, East Staffordshire, Lichfield, or Staffordshire Moorlands
Uxbridge	See Hillingdon
VALE OF GLAMORGAN	Civic Offices, 2-6 Holton Road, Barry, South Glamorgan CF63 4RU
Vale Royal	See Cheshire Central
Vaynor	See Merthyr Tydfil, or Pontypridd
Wainford	See Waveney
WAKEFIELD	71 Northgate, Wakefield, West Yorkshire WF1 3BS Website: www.wakefield.gov.uk
Wallasey	See Wirral
WALLINGFORD	197 The Broadway, Didcot, Oxfordshire OX11 8RU Website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk
WALSALL	Civic Centre, Hatherton Road, Walsall, West Midlands WS1 1TN Website: www.walsall.gov.uk *Money to Walsall MBC*
Walsingham	See Fakenham
WALTHAM FOREST	106 Grove Road, Walthamstow, London E17 9BG Website: www.lbwf.gov.uk
WANDSWORTH	Town Hall, Wandsworth High Street, London SW18 2PU Website: www.wandsworth.gov.uk *Money to Wandsworth Borough Council*
Wangford	See Waveney
WANTAGE	The Civic Centre, Portway, Wantage, Oxfordshire OX12 9BX Website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Ware	See Broxbourne, or Hertford & Ware
Wareham	See Poole
Warley (East & West)	See Sandwell
WARMINSTER	3 The Avenue, Warminster, Wiltshire BA12 9AB Website: www.wiltshire.gov.uk
WARRINGTON	Museum Street, Warrington, Cheshire WA1 1JX
Warwick	See Mid Warwickshire
Warwick & Leamington	See Mid Warwickshire
WATFORD	36 Clarendon Road, Watford, Hertfordshire WD1 1JP Website: www.hertscc.gov.uk
WAVENEY	St. Margarets House, Gordon Road, Lowestoft, Suffolk NR32 1JQ
WAYLAND	Kings House, King Street, Thetford, Norfolk IP24 2AP Website: www.norfolk.gov.uk
Weardale	See Durham Western
Wednesbury	See Walsall, Birmingham, Dudley, Lichfield, Sandwell, or Wolverhampton
WELLINGBOROUGH	Council Offices, Swanspool, Wellingborough, Northamptonshire NN8 1BP Website: www.wellingborough.gov.uk
Wellington, Shropshire	See Telford & Wrekin
Wellington, Somerset	See Mid Devon, or Taunton
Wells	See Mendip
Welshpool	See Welshpool & Llanfyllin
WELSHPOOL & LLANFYLLIN	District Council Offices, Neuadd Maldwyn, Severn Road, Welshpool, Powys SY21 7AS Website: www.powys.gov.uk
Welton	See Lincoln
Wem	See North Shropshire
Wenlock	See Bridgnorth
Wensleydale	See North Yorkshire

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Weobl(e)y	See Leominster
West Ashford	See Ashford with Shepway, or Canterbury with Swale
WEST BERKSHIRE	Peake House, 112 Newtown Road, Newbury, Berkshire RG14 7EB
West Bridgford	See Rushcliffe
West Bromwich	See Sandwell
West Cheshire	See Chester & Ellesmere Port
West Derby	See Liverpool, or Sefton South
WEST DEVON	Town Council Offices, Drake Road, Tavistock, Devon PL19 0AU Website: www.devon-cc.gov.uk
WEST DORSET	Mountfield Offices, Rax Lane, Bridport, Dorset DT6 3JL Website: www.dorset-cc.gov.uk
West Glamorgan	See Pontypridd, Neath Port Talbot, or Swansea
West Ham	See Newham
West Hartlepool	See Hartlepool
WEST LANCASHIRE	Greetby Buildings, Derby Street, Ormskirk, Lancashire L39 2BS
West London	Try London City
WEST OXFORDSHIRE	District Council Offices, Woodgreen, Witney, Oxfordshire OX8 6NB Website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk
WEST SOMERSET	2 Long Street, Williton, Taunton, Somerset TA4 4QN Website: www.somerset.gov.uk
WEST SURREY	Artington House, Portsmouth Road, Guildford, Surrey GU2 4DZ
West Ward	See Kendal, or Penrith
Westbourne	See Chichester
Westbury on Severn, Gloucs	See Forest of Dean, or Gloucester
Westbury, Wilts	See Warminster
Westhampnett	See Chichester

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
WESTMINSTER	Westminster Council House, 97-113 Marylebone Road, London NW1 5PT Website: www.westminster.gov.uk E-mail: acathcart@westminster.gov.uk *Money to City of Westminster* *NB: No postal service at present.*
Westmorland North	See Penrith
Westmorland South	See Kendal
Weston-super-Mare	See North Somerset
Wetherby	See North Yorkshire, Leeds or York
Weymouth	See South Dorset
Wharfedale	See Leeds
Wheatenhurst	See Gloucester, or Forest of Dean
Whitby	See North Yorkshire
Whitchurch, Hants	See Kingsclere & Whitchurch, or Basingstoke
Whitchurch, Shropshire	See North Shropshire
Whitechapel	See Tower Hamlets
WHITEHAVEN	College House, Flatt Walk, Whitehaven, Cumbria CA8 7RW Website: www.cumbria.gov.uk
Whittlesey	See Peterborough
Widnes	See Halton, St. Helens, Warrington, or Knowsley
Wigan	See Wigan & Leigh
WIGAN & LEIGH	New Town Hall, Library Street, Wigan, Lancashire WN1 1NN
WIGTON	Council Offices, South End, Wigton, Cumbria CA7 9QD Website: www.cumbria.gov.uk
Willesden	See Brent
Williton	See West Somerset
Wilton	See Salisbury, or Warminster
Wimborne	See Poole
Wincanton	See Yeovil
Winchcomb	See Cheltenham, or North Cotswold
WINCHESTER	Station Hill, Winchester, Hants SO23 8TJ Website: www.hampshire.gov.uk E-mail: registrars@winchester.gov.uk
Windsor	See Windsor & Maidenhead

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
WINDSOR & MAIDENHEAD	Town Hall, St. Ives Road, Maidenhead, Berkshire SL6 1RF
Winslow	See Aylesbury Vale, or Milton Keynes
WIRRAL	Town Hall, Mortimer Street, Birkenhead, Merseyside L41 5EU
Wisbech	See Fenland
Witham	See Braintree
Witney	See West Oxfordshire
Woburn	See Bedfordshire
WOKINGHAM	Yeomanry House, 131 Castle Hill, Reading, Berkshire RG1 7TA
Wolstanton	See Newcastle-under-Lyme
WOLVERHAMPTON	Civic Centre, St. Peters Square, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire WV1 1RU Website: www.wolverhampton.gov.uk *Money to Wolverhampton MBC*
Wombourne	See South Staffordshire
Wood Green	See Barnet, Enfield, or Haringey
Woodbridge	See Deben, or Ipswich
Woodstock	See Banbury, Bullingdon, Ploughley, or West Oxfordshire
Woolwich	See Greenwich
WORCESTER	29/30 Foregate Street, Worcester, Worcestershire WR1 1DS Website: www.worcestershire.gov.uk
WORKSOP	Queen's Buildings, 38 Potter Street, Worksop, Nottinghamshire S80 2AH Website: www.nottscc.gov.uk
Worsley	See Salford
Worth Valley	See Bradford, or Keighley
WORTHING	County Buildings, 15 Mill Road, Worthing, West Sussex BN11 4JY Website: www.westsussex.gov.uk
Wortley	See Barnsley, or Sheffield
Wrekin	See Telford & Wrekin
WREXHAM	2 Grosvenor Road, Wrexham, Denbighshire LL11 1DL Website: www.denbighshire.gov.uk

DISTRICT	ADDRESS (MODERN DISTRICTS) OR REFERENCE TO MODERN DISTRICT
Wrexham Maelor	See Wrexham, Welshpool & Llanfyllin, or Denbighshire South
Wycombe	See Chiltern Hills
Yarmouth	See Great Yarmouth, or Norwich
Yarmouth & Flegg	See Norwich, or Great Yarmouth
YEOVIL	Maltravers House, Petters Way, Yeovil, Somerset BA20 1SP Website: www.somerset.gov.uk
YNYS MON	Shire Hall, Glanhwfa Road, Llangefni, Anglesey LL77 7TW Website: www.anglesey.gov.uk
YORK	56 Bootham, York, North Yorkshire YO3 7DA Website: www.york.gov.uk
YSTRADGYNLAIS	Powys County Council Offices, Trawsffordd, Ystradgynlais, Swansea, Powys SA9 1BS Website: www.powys.gov.uk

CHART 3:
Registration Districts by Old County

This list can be used as a guide, but it must be recognized that Registration Districts do not follow old or new county boundaries. Ensure that you check the map on the following page to find neighbouring districts based in other counties.

The common abbreviations, given *in italics,* for these pre-1974 counties will assist those outside Britain.

Counties in England & Wales before April 1st, 1974

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COUNTY	CURRENT DISTRICTS
ANGLESEY, Wales	Ynys Mon
BEDFORDSHIRE *Beds*	Bedfordshire, Luton.
BERKSHIRE *Berks*	Abingdon, Bracknell Forest, Reading, Slough, Wallingford, Wantage, West Berkshire, Windsor & Maidenhead, Wokingham.
BRECONSHIRE, Wales	Brecknock, Hay, Ystradgynlais.
BUCKINGHAMSHIRE *Bucks*	Aylesbury Vale, Chiltern Hills, Milton Keynes.
CAERNARVONSHIRE, Wales	Aberconwy, Bangor, Caernarfon, Dwyfor.
CAMBRIDGESHIRE *Cambs*	Cambridge, Ely, Fenland.
CARDIGANSHIRE, Wales *Cards*	Cardiganshire Central, Cardigan-shire North, Cardiganshire South.
CARMARTHENSHIRE, Wales	Carmarthen, Llanelli.
CHESHIRE	Cheshire Central, Cheshire East, Cheshire West, Halton, Stockport, Tameside, Trafford, Wirral.
CORNWALL	Bodmin, Camborne-Redruth, Falmouth, Isles of Scilly, Kerrier, Launceston, Liskeard, Penzance, St. Austell, St. Germans, Stratton, Truro.
CUMBERLAND *Cumbs*	Carlisle, Cockermouth, Millom, Penrith, Whitehaven, Wigton.
DENBIGHSHIRE, Wales *Denbighs*	Colwyn, Denbighshire North, Denbighshire South, Wrexham.
DERBYSHIRE *Derbys*	Amber Valley, Ashbourne, Bakewell, Chesterfield, Derby, Erewash, High Peak, South Derbyshire.

COUNTY	CURRENT DISTRICTS
DEVONSHIRE *Devon*	East Devon, Exeter, Mid-Devon, Plymouth, South Hams, Teignbridge, Torbay, Torridge, West Devon.
DORSET	East Dorset, North Dorset, Poole, South Dorset, West Dorset.
DURHAM	Darlington, Durham Central, Durham Eastern, Durham Northern, Durham Western, Gateshead, Hartlepool, Jarrow, South Shields, Stockton-on-Tees, Sunderland
ESSEX (see also LONDON)	Braintree, Brentwood, Castle Point & Rochford, Chelmsford, Colchester, Epping Forest, Harlow, Uttlesford.
FLINTSHIRE, Wales *Flint*	Flintshire East, Flintshire West.
GLAMORGANSHIRE, Wales *Glamorgan*	Bridgend, Caerphilly, Cardiff, Merthyr Tydfil, Neath Port Talbot, Swansea, Vale of Glamorgan.
GLOUCESTERSHIRE *Gloucs or Glos*	Bristol (also in Somerset), Cheltenham, Cirencester, Forest of Dean, Gloucester, North Cotswold, South Gloucestershire, Stroud.
HAMPSHIRE *Hants*	Alton, Andover, Basingstoke, Bournemouth, Droxford, Isle of Wight, Kingsclere & Whitchurch, New Forest, North-East Hampshire, Petersfield, Portsmouth, Romsey, South East Hampshire, Southampton, Winchester.
HEREFORDSHIRE *Herefords*	Bromyard, Hereford, Kington, Ledbury, Leominster, Ross.
HERTFORDSHIRE *Herts*	Bishop's Stortford, Broxbourne, Dacorum, Hatfield, Hertford & Ware, Hitchin & Stevenage, St. Albans, Watford.

COUNTY	CURRENT DISTRICTS
HUNTINGDONSHIRE *Hunts*	Huntingdon.
KENT (see also LONDON)	Ashford with Shepway, Canterbury with Swale, Gravesend, Maidstone, Medway, Thanet with Dover, Tunbridge Wells.
LANCASHIRE *Lancs*	Barrow-in-Furness, Blackburn with Darwen, Blackpool, Bolton, Burnley & Pendle, Bury, Chorley, Fleetwood & Fylde, Hyndburn & Rossendale, Knowsley, Lancaster, Liverpool, Manchester, Oldham, Preston & South Ribble, Ribble Valley, Rochdale, Salford, Sefton North, Sefton South, St. Helens, Todmorden, Ulverston, Warrington, West Lancashire, Wigan & Leigh.
LEICESTERSHIRE *Leics*	Leicestershire
LINCOLNSHIRE *Lincs*	Boston, Bourne, Caistor, East Elloe, Gainsborough, Grantham, Horncastle, Lincoln, Louth, North East Lincolnshire, North Lincolnshire, Sleaford, Spalding, Spilsby, Stamford.
LONDON *The City*	London City.
LONDON - Essex	Barking & Dagenham, Havering, Newham, Redbridge, Waltham Forest.
LONDON - Kent	Bexley, Bromley, Greenwich, Lewisham.
LONDON – Middlesex *Mddx*	Barnet, Brent, Camden, Ealing, Enfield, Hackney, Hammersmith, Haringey, Harrow, Hillingdon, Hounslow, Islington, Kensington & Chelsea, Tower Hamlets, Westminster.

COUNTY	CURRENT DISTRICTS
LONDON - Surrey	Croydon, Kingston upon Thames, Lambeth, Merton, Richmond upon Thames, Southwark, Sutton, Wandsworth.
MERIONETHSHIRE, Wales *Merioneth*	Ardudwy, De Meirionnydd, Penllyn.
MONMOUTHSHIRE, Wales *Mon*	Blaenau Gwent, Monmouth, Newport, Torfaen.
MONTGOMERYSHIRE, Wales *Montgomery*	Machynlleth, Newtown, Welshpool & Llanfyllin.
NORFOLK *Nfk*	Depwade, Downham, East Dereham, Fakenham, Great Yarmouth, King's Lynn, North Walsham, Norwich, Wayland.
NORTHAMPTONSHIRE *Northants*	Brackley, Corby, Daventry, Kettering, Northampton, Oundle & Thrapston, Peterborough, Towcester, Wellingborough.
NORTHUMBERLAND *Northumbs*	Newcastle upon Tyne, North Tyneside, Northumberland Central, Northumberland North First, Northumberland North Second, Northumberland West.
NOTTINGHAMSHIRE *Notts*	Basford, East Retford, Mansfield, Newark, Nottingham, Rushcliffe, Worksop.
OXFORDSHIRE *Oxon*	Banbury, Bullingdon, Henley, Oxford, Ploughley, West Oxfordshire.
PEMBROKESHIRE, Wales *Pembs*	Haverfordwest, South Pembrokeshire.
RADNORSHIRE, Wales *Radnor*	Mid Powys, Radnorshire East.

COUNTY	CURRENT DISTRICTS
RUTLANDSHIRE *Rutland*	Rutland.
SHROPSHIRE *Salop*	Bridgnorth, Clun, Ludlow, North Shropshire, Oswestry, Shrewsbury, Telford & Wrekin.
SOMERSET	Bath & NE Somerset, Bristol (also in Gloucestershire), Mendip, North Somerset, Sedgemoor, Taunton, West Somerset, Yeovil.
STAFFORDSHIRE *Staffs*	Cannock Chase, Dudley, East Staffordshire, Lichfield, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Sandwell, South Staffordshire, Stafford, Staffordshire Moorlands, Stoke-on-Trent, Walsall, Wolverhampton.
SUFFOLK *Sfk*	Bury St. Edmunds, Deben, Gipping & Hartismere, Ipswich, Sudbury, Waveney.
SURREY (see also LONDON) *Sry*	East Surrey, North Surrey, South East Surrey, West Surrey.
SUSSEX *Ssx*	Brighton & Hove, Chichester, Crawley, Eastbourne, Hastings & Rother, Haywards Heath, Horsham, Lewes, Uckfield, Worthing.
WARWICKSHIRE *Warks*	Birmingham, Coventry, North Warwickshire, Nuneaton & Bedworth, Rugby, Mid Warwickshire, Solihull North, Solihull South, South Warwickshire.
WESTMORLAND	Kendal.
WILTSHIRE *Wilts*	Chippenham, Devizes & Marlborough, Salisbury, Swindon, Trowbridge, Warminster.
WORCESTERSHIRE *Worcs*	Bromsgrove, Droitwich, Evesham, Kidderminster, Malvern, Pershore, Redditch, Stourbridge, Tenbury, Worcester.

COUNTY	CURRENT DISTRICTS
YORKSHIRE *Yorks*	
- East Riding	Beverley, Bridlington, Goole, Hull, Pocklington, York.
- North Riding	Middlesbrough, North Yorkshire, Redcar & Cleveland.
- West Riding	Barnsley, Bradford, Dewsbury, Doncaster, Halifax, Huddersfield, Keighley, Leeds, Pontefract, Rotherham, Sheffield, Wakefield.

CHART 4:
1837-1851 Registration Districts by Area Number

The volume numbers correspond to geographical areas. A general map of these is available and is mentioned in the Introduction. For more detailed maps of individual Districts the reader is advised to contact the appropriate local Family History Society or County Record Office.

The reader is advised to consult a map as it is not readily apparent from a list that widely different numbered areas may be contiguous. In the 1837 - 1851 period roman numerals were used, generally emanating outwards from London (I). However, Gloucestershire (XI) has a long boundary with Monmouthshire and Herefordshire (both part of XXVI).

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
I	Bloomsbury , Marylebone , Pancras , St. George Hanover Square , St. Giles in the Fields , St. James Westminster , St. Martin in the Fields , St.Marylebone, St. Pancras , Strand , Westminster.
II	Bermondsey , Bethnal Green , Camberwell , City of London , East London , Holborn , Lambeth , London City , Newington , Poplar , Rotherhithe , Shoreditch , St. George in the East , St. George Southwark , St. Olave Southwark , St. Saviour Southwark , Stepney , West London , Whitechapel.
III	Barnet , Brentford , Chelsea , Clerkenwell , Edmonton , Hackney , Hampstead , Hendon , Islington , Kensington , St. Lukes , Staines , Uxbridge.
IV	Chertsey , Croydon , Dorking , Epsom , Farnborough (Surrey) , Farnham , Godstone , Guildford , Hambledon , Kingston (Surrey) , Reigate , Richmond (Surrey) , Wandsworth.
V	Blean , Bridge , Bromley , Canterbury , Cranbrook , Dartford , Dover , East Ashford , Eastry , Elham , Faversham , Gravesend , Greenwich , Hollingbourne , Hoo , Isle of Sheppey , Lewisham , Maidstone , Malling , Medway , Milton , North Aylesford , Romney Marsh , Sevenoaks , Sheppey , Tenterden , Thanet , Tonbridge , West Ashford.
VI	Abingdon , Amersham , Ampthill , Aylesbury , Bedford , Berkhamstead , Biggleswade , Bishop's Stortford , Bradfield , Buckingham , Cookham , Easthemstead , Eton , Faringdon , Hatfield , Hemel Hempstead , Hertford , Hitchin , Hungerford , Leighton Buzzard , Luton , Newbury , Newport Pagnell (Bucks) , Reading , Royston , St. Albans , Wallingford , Wantage , Ware , Watford , Windsor , Winslow , Woburn , Wokingham , Wycombe.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
VII	Alresford , Alton , Alverstoke , Andover , Basingstoke , Battle , Bitterne , Brighton , Catherington , Chichester , Cuckfield , Droxford , Eastbourne , East Grinstead , Fareham , Hailsham , Hartley Wintney , Hastings , Havant , Horsham , Kingsclere , Lewes , Midhurst (& Petworth) , Petersfield , Petworth , Portsea Island , Rye , Southampton , South Stoneham , Steyning , Stockbridge , Thakeham , Ticehurst , Uckfield , Westbourne , Westhampnett , Whitchurch (Hants) , Winchester , Worthing.
VIII	Alderbury , Amesbury , Beaminster , Blandford , Bradford on Avon Wilts , Bridport , Calne , Chippenham , Christchurch , Cricklade , Devizes , Dorchester , Fordingbridge , Highworth , Isle of Wight (I.O.W.) , Lymington , Malmesbury , Marlborough , Melksham , Mere , New Forest , Pewsey , Poole , Pusey , Ringwood , Romsey , Salisbury , Shaftesbury , Sherborne , Sturminster , Swindon, Tisbury , Wareham , Warminster , Westbury (Wilts) , Weymouth , Wilton , Wimborne.
IX	Bodmin , Camelford , East Stonehouse , Falmouth , Helston , Kingsbridge , Launceston , Liskeard , Penzance , Plymouth , Plympton St. Mary , Redruth , Scilly Isles , St. Austell , St. Columb , St. Germans , Stoke Damerel , Stratton , Taunton , Totnes , Truro.
X	Axbridge , Axminster , Barnstaple , Bedminster , Bideford , Bridgwater , Chard , Crediton , Dulverton , Exeter , Frome , Holsworthy , Honiton , Langport , Newton Abbot, Okehampton , Shepton Mallet , South Molton , St. Thomas , Tavistock , Tiverton , Torrington , Wellington (Somerset) , Wells , Williton , Wincanton , Yeovil.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
XI	Bath , Bristol , Cheltenham , Chipping Sodbury , Cirencester , Clifton , Clutton , Dursley , Gloucester , Keynsham , Newent , Northleach , Stow on the Wold (Gloucs) , Stroud , Tetbury , Tewkesbury , Thornbury , Wheatenhurst , Winchcomb.
XII	Billericay , Bosmere , Braintree , Chelmsford , Colchester, Cosford , Dunmow , Epping , Halstead (Essex) , Ipswich , Lexden , Malden , Ongar , Orsett , Plomesgate , Risbridge , Rochford , Romford , Saffron Walden , Samford, Stow, (Suffolk), Sudbury , Tendring , Thingoe , West Ham , Witham, Woodbridge.
XIII	Aylsham , Blofield , Blything , Bury St. Edmunds , Depwade , Docking , Downham , Erpingham , Flegg , Forehoe , Freebridge Lynn , Guiltcross , Hartismere , Henstead , Hoxne , King's Lynn , Loddon , Mildenhall , Mitford , Mutford , Norwich , St. Faiths , Swaffham , Thetford , Tunstead , Walsingham , Wangford , Wayland , Yarmouth.
XIV	Boston , Bourne , Caistor , Cambridge , Caxton , Chesterton , Ely , Gainsborough , Glan(d)ford Brigg , Grantham , Holbeach , Horncastle , Huntingdon , Lincoln , Linton , Louth , Newmarket , North Witchford , Sleaford , Spalding , Spilsby , St. Ives (Hunts) , St. Neots , Stamford , Whittlesey , Wisbech.
XV	Ashby de la Zouch , Basford , Billesdon , Bingham , Blaby , Brackley , Brixworth , Daventry , East Retford , Hardingstone , Hinckley , Kettering , Leicester , Loughborough , Lutterworth , Mansfield , Market Bosworth , Market Harborough , Melton Mowbray , Newark , Northampton (& Hardingstone) , Nottingham , Oakham , Oundle, Peterborough , Potterspury , Radford (Notts) , Southwell , Thrapston , Towcester , Uppingham , Wellingborough , Worksop.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
XVI	Alcester , Aston , Atherstone , Banbury , Bicester , Birmingham , Chipping Norton , Coventry , Foleshill , Headington , Henley , Meriden , Nuneaton , Oxford , Radford , Warks , Rugby , Shipston on Stour , Solihull , Southam , Stratford on Avon , Thame , Warwick (& Leamington) , Witney , Woodstock.
XVII	Burton upon Trent , Cheadle , Dudley , Leek , Lichfield , Newcastle under Lyme (Staffs) , Penkridge , Stafford , Stoke upon Trent , Stone , Tamworth , Uttoxeter , Walsall , West Bromwich , Wolstanton , Wolverhampton.
XVIII	Atcham , Bridgnorth , Bromsgrove , Church Stretton , Cleobury Mortimer , Clun , Droitwich , Ellesmere , Evesham , Kidderminster , Kings Norton , Ludlow , Madeley , Market Drayton , Martley , Newport (Shropshire) , Oswestry , Pershore , Shifnal , Shrewsbury , Stourbridge , Tenbury , Upton upon Severn , Wellington (Shropshire) , Wem , Whitchurch (Shropshire) , Worcester.
XIX	Altrincham , Ashbourne , Bakewell , Belper , Chapel-en-le-Frith , Chesterfield , Congleton , Derby , Great Boughton , Hayfield , Knutsford , Macclesfield , Nantwich , Northwich , Runcorn , Shardlow , Stockport , Wirral.
XX	Ashton under Lyne , Barton on Irwell , Chorlton , Liverpool , Manchester (North & South) , Oldham , Prescot , Salford , Warrington , West Derby (Lancs) , Worsley.
XXI	Blackburn , Bolton , Burnley , Bury , Chorley , Clitheroe , Fylde , Garstang , Halifax , Haslingden , Lancaster , Lunesdale , Ormskirk , Preston (Lancs) , Rochdale , Todmorden , Wigan.
XXII	Barnsley , Dewsbury , Doncaster , Ecclesfield , Eccles(h)all Bierlow , Hemsworth , Huddersfield , Pontefract , Rotherham , Saddleworth , Sculcoates , Sheffield , Wakefield , Wortley.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
XXIII	Beverley , Bradford (Yorks) , Bridlington , Driffield , Goole , Howden , Hunslet , Keighley, Knaresborough , Leeds (North & South) , Otley, Pateley Bridge , Patrington , Pocklington , Ripon , Sedbergh , Selby , Settle , Skipton , Tadcaster , Thorne , York.
XXIV	Askrigg , Auckland , Bedale , Chester le Street , Darlington , Durham , Easington (2 diff places), Easingwold , Gateshead , Guisborough , He(l)msley , Houghton le Spring , Leyburn , Malton , Northallerton , Pickering , Reeth , Richmond (Yorks) , Scarborough , South Shields , Stockton , Stokesley , Sunderland , Teesdale , Thirsk , Weardale , Whitby.
XXV	Alnwick , Alston , Belford , Bellingham , Berwick , Bootle (Cumberland) , Brampton , Carlisle , Castle Ward , Cockermouth , East Ward , Glendale , Haltwhistle , Hexham , Kendal , Longtown , Morpeth , Newcastle upon Tyne, (Northumberland) , Penrith , Rothbury , Tynemouth , Ulverston , West Ward , Whitehaven , Wigton.
XXVI	Abergavenny , Brecknock , Bridgend , Bromyard , Builth , Cardiff , Carmarthen , Chepstow , Crickhowell , Gower , Haverfordwest , Hay , Hereford , Knighton , Ledbury , Leominster , Llandilo-fawr , Llandovery , Llanelly , Merthyr Tydfil , Monmouth , Narberth , Neath , Newport (Mon), Pembroke , Pontypool , Pontypridd , Presteigne, Rhayader , Ross , Swansea , Weobl(e)y , Westbury on Severn (Gloucs).
XXVII	Aberayron , Aberystwyth , Anglesey , Bala , Bangor , Caernarvon , Cardigan , Conway , Corwen , Dolgelley , F(f)estiniog , Holywell , Lampeter , Llanfyllin , Llanrwst , Machynlleth , Montgomery , Newcastle (in) Emlyn (Wales) , Newtown (Montgomery) , Pwllheli , Ruthin , St. Asaph , Tregaron , Wrexham.

CHART 5:
1852-1946 Registration Districts by Area Number

The volume numbers correspond to geographical areas. A general map of these is available and is mentioned in the Introduction. For more detailed maps of individual Districts the reader is advised to contact the appropriate local Family History Society or County Record Office.

The numbering system during this period was changed to arabic numerals, with lower case letters. The reader is advised to study a map of these areas as there can be some surprises. For example 5c is in 2 halves, Somerset and Cornwall, with Devon (5b) in between.

The numbers again start in London with higher numbers being further away from the capital. Contiguous areas do not necessarily have similar numbers. For example if you were researching in the north Welsh border area you will find relatives in 6a, 8a and 11b all within a few miles of each other.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
1a	Chelsea , Clerkenwell , Fulham , Hammersmith , Hampstead , Kensington , Marylebone , Paddington , Pancras , St. George Hanover Square , St. James Westminster , St. Lukes , St. Martin in the Fields , St. Marylebone , Strand , Westminster.
1b	Hackney , Holborn , Islington , St. Giles in the Fields , St. Pancras.
1c	Bethnal Green , City of London , East London , London City , Mile End Old Town (MEOT) , Poplar , Shoreditch , St. George in the East , Stepney , West London , Whitechapel.
1d	Bermondsey , Camberwell , Greenwich , Lambeth , Lewisham , Newington , Rotherhithe , St. George Southwark , St. Olave Southwark , St. Saviour Southwark , Wandsworth , Woolwich.
2a	Blean , Bridge , Bromley , Canterbury , Chertsey , Cranbrook , Croydon , Dartford , Dorking , Dover , East Ashford , Eastry , Elham , Epsom , Farnborough (Surrey) , Farnham , Faversham , Godstone , Gravesend , Guildford , Hambledon , Hollingbourne , Hoo , Kingston (Surrey) , Maidstone , Malling , Medway , Milton , North Aylesford , Reigate , Richmond (Surrey) , Romney Marsh , Sevenoaks , Sheppey , Strood (& Hoo) , Tenterden , Thanet , Tonbridge , West Ashford.
2b	Alverstoke , Battle , Brighton , Chichester , Christchurch , Cuckfield , Eastbourne , East Grinstead , East Preston , Fareham , Fordingbridge , Hailsham , Hastings , Havant , Horsham , Isle of Wight (I.O.W.) , Lewes , Lymington , Midhurst (& Petworth) , New Forest , Newhaven , Petworth , Portsea Island , Ringwood , Rye , Steyning , Thakeham , Ticehurst , Uckfield , Westbourne , Westhampnett , Worthing.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
2c	Abingdon , Alresford , Alton , Andover , Basingstoke , Bradfield , Catherington , Cookham , Droxford , Easthampstead , Eastleigh , Faringdon , Hartley Wintney , Hungerford , Kingsclere , Maidenhead , Newbury , Petersfield , Reading , Romsey , Southampton , South Stoneham , Stockbridge , Wallingford , Wantage , Whitchurch (Hants) , Winchester , Windsor , Wokingham.
3a	Amersham , Aylesbury , Banbury , Barnet , Berkhamstead , Bicester , Bishop's Stortford , Brentford , Buckingham , Chipping Norton , Edmonton , Eton, Hatfield , Hemel Hempstead , Hendon , Henley , Hertford , Hitchin , Newport Pagnell (Bucks) , Oxford , Royston , St. Albans , Staines , Thame , Uxbridge , Ware , Watford , Willesden , Winslow , Witney , Woodstock , Wycombe.
3b	Ampthill , Bedford , Biggleswade , Brackley , Brixworth , Cambridge , Caxton , Chesterton , Daventry , Ely , Hardingstone , Huntingdon , Kettering , Leighton Buzzard , Linton , Luton , Newmarket , Northampton (& Hardingstone) , North Witchford , Oundle , Peterborough , Potterspury , St. Ives , St. Neots , Thrapston , Towcester , Wellingborough , Whittlesey , Wisbech , Woburn.
4a	Billericay , Blything , Bosmere , Braintree , Bury St. Edmunds , Chelmsford , Colchester , Cosford , Dunmow , Epping , Halstead , Hartismere , Hoxne , Ipswich , Lexden , Malden , Mildenhall , Mutford , Ongar , Orsett , Plomesgate , Risbridge , Rochford , Romford , Saffron Walden , Samford , Stow (Suffolk) , Sudbury , Tendring , Thingoe , Wangford , West Ham , Witham , Woodbridge.
4b	Aylsham , Blofield , Depwade , Docking , Downham , Erpingham , Flegg , Forehoe , Freebridge , Lynn , Guiltcross , Henstead , King's Lynn, Loddon , Mitford , Norwich , Smallburgh , St. Faiths , Swaffham , Thetford , Tunstead , Walsingham , Wayland , Yarmouth.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
5a	Alderbury , Amesbury , Beaminster , Blandford , Bradford on Avon (Wilts) , Bridport , Calne , Chippenham , Cricklade , Devizes , Dorchester , Highworth , Malmesbury , Marlborough , Melksham , Mere , Pewsey , Poole , Pusey , Salisbury , Shaftesbury , Sherborne , Sturminster , Swindon , Tisbury , Wareham , Warminster , Westbury (Wilts) , Weymouth , Wilton , Wimborne.
5b	Axminster , Barnstaple , Bideford , Crediton , Devonport , East Stonehouse , Exeter , Holsworthy , Honiton , Kingsbridge , Newton Abbot , Okehampton , Plymouth , Plympton St. Mary , South Molton , St. Thomas , Stoke Damerel , Tavistock , Tiverton , Torrington , Totnes.
5c	Axbridge , Bath , Bedminster , Bodmin , Bridgwater , Camelford , Chard , Clutton , Dulverton , Falmouth , Frome , Helston , Isles of Scilly , Keynsham , Langport , Launceston , Liskeard , Long Ashton , Penzance , Redruth , Shepton Mallet , St. Austell , St. Columb , St. Germans , Stratton , Taunton , Truro , Wellington (Somerset) , Wells , Williton , Wincanton , Yeovil.
6a	Atcham , Barton Regis , Bridgnorth , Bristol , Bromyard , Cheltenham , Chipping Sodbury , Church Stretton , Cirencester , Cleobury Mortimer , Clifton , Clun , Dursley , Ellesmere , Gloucester , Hereford , Kington , Ledbury , Leominster , Ludlow, Madeley , Market Drayton , Newent , Newport (Shropshire) , Northleach , Oswestry , Ross , Shifnal , Shrewsbury , Stow on the Wold (Gloucs) , Stroud , Tetbury , Tewkesbury , Thornbury , Wellington (Shropshire) , Wem , Weobl(e)y , Westbury on Severn (Gloucs) , Wheatenhurst , Whitchurch (Shropshire) , Winchcomb.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
6b	Burton upon Trent , Cannock , Cheadle , Dudley , Kingswinford , Leek , Lichfield , Newcastle under Lyme (Staffs) , Penkridge , Stafford , Stoke & Wolstanton , Stoke upon Trent , Stone , Tamworth , Uttoxeter , Walsall , West Bromwich , Wolstanton , Wolverhampton.
6c	Bromsgrove , Droitwich , Evesham , Kidderminster , Kings Norton , Martley , Pershore (Worcs) , Stourbridge , Tenbury , Upton upon Severn , Worcester.
6d	Alcester , Aston , Atherstone , Birmingham , Coventry , Foleshill , Meriden , Nuneaton , Rugby , Shipston on Stour , Solihull , Southam , Stratford on Avon , Warwick (& Leamington).
7a	Ashby de la Zouch , Barrow on Soar (Leics) , Billesdon , Blaby , Boston , Bourne , Caistor , Gainsborough , Glan(d)ford Brigg , Grantham , Grimsby , Hinckley , Holbeach , Horncastle , Leicester , Lincoln , Loughborough , Louth , Lutterworth , Market Bosworth , Market Harborough , Melton Mowbray , Oakham , Sleaford , Spalding , Spilsby , Stamford , Uppingham.
7b	Ashbourne , Bakewell , Basford , Belper , Bingham , Chapel-en-le-Frith , Chesterfield , Derby , East Retford , Glossop , Hayfield , Mansfield , Newark , Nottingham , Radford (Notts) , Shardlow , Southwell , Worksop.
8a	Altrincham , Birkenhead , Bucklow , Chester , Congleton , Great Boughton , Macclesfield , Nantwich , Northwich , Runcorn , Stockport , Wirral.
8b	Liverpool , Ormskirk , Prescot , Toxteth Park , West Derby.
8c	Barton on Irwell , Bolton , Bury , Chorlton , Leigh , Warrington , Wigan.
8d	Ashton under Lyne , Manchester (Nth & Sth) , Oldham , Prestwich , Salford.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
8e	Barrow (Lancs) , Blackburn , Burnley , Chorley , Clitheroe , Fylde , Garstang , Haslingden , Lancaster , Lunesdale , Preston (Lancs) , Rochdale , Ulverston.
9a	Great Ouseburn , Halifax , Huddersfield , Keighley , Knaresborough , Pateley Bridge , Ripon , Saddleworth , Sedbergh , Settle , Skipton , Todmorden , Wetherby , Wharfedale.
9b	Bradford (Yorks) , Bramley , Dewsbury , Holbeck , Hunslet , Leeds (North & South) , North Bierley , Otley.
9c	Barnsley , Bramham , Doncaster , Eccles(h)all Bierlow , Hemsworth , Kirk Deighton , Penistone , Pontefract , Rotherham , Selby , Sheffield , Tadcaster , Thorne , Wakefield , Wortley.
9d	Askrigg , Aysgarth , Bedale , Beverley , Bridlington , Driffield , Easingwold , Goole , Guisborough , He(l)msley , Howden , Hull , Leyburn , Malton , Middlesborough , Northallerton , Patrington , Pickering , Pocklington , Reeth , Richmond (Yorks) , Scarborough , Sculcoates , Skirlaugh , Stokesley , Thirsk , Whitby , York.
10a	Auckland , Chester le Street , Darlington , Durham , Easington (2 diff places) , Gateshead , Hartlepool , Houghton le Spring , Lanchester , Sedgefield , South Shields , Stockton , Sunderland , Teesdale , Weardale.
10b	Alnwick , Alston , Belford , Bellingham , Berwick , Bootle (Cumberland) , Brampton , Carlisle , Castle Ward , Cockermouth , East Ward , Glendale , Haltwhistle , Hexham , Kendal , Longtown , Morpeth , Newcastle upon Tyne (Northumberland) , Penrith , Rothbury , Tynemouth , West Ward , Whitehaven , Wigton.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
11a	Abergavenny , Bedwelty , Bridgend , Cardiff , Carmarthen , Chepstow , Gower , Haverfordwest , Llandilo-fawr , Llandovery , Llanelly , Merthyr Tydfil , Monmouth , Narberth , Neath , Newcastle (in) Emlyn (Wales) , Newport (Mon) , Pembroke , Pontardawe , Pontypool , Pontypridd , Swansea.
11b	Aberayron , Aberystwyth , Anglesey , Bala , Bangor , Brecknock , Builth , Caernarvon , Cardigan , Conway , Corwen , Crickhowell , Dolgelley , F(f)estiniog , Forden , Hawarden , Hay (on Wye) , Holyhead , Holywell , Knighton , Lampeter , Llanfyllin , Llanrwst , Machynlleth , Montgomery , Newtown (Montgomery) , Presteigne , Pwllheli , Rhayader , Ruthin , St. Asaph , Tregaron , Wrexham.

CHART 6:
1946-1965 Registration Districts by Area Number

The volume numbers correspond to geographical areas. A general map of these is available and is mentioned in the Introduction. For more detailed maps of individual Districts the reader is advised to contact the appropriate local Family History Society or County Record Office.

Arabic numerals were retained in the third period but now the numbers start in the north and work south, and upper case is used for the letters. Much of East Anglia retained its previous numbers, but the similarity ends there.

In this period the reader has to be alert to the many instances where a numbered area may have a convoluted shape (e.g. 2B and 2C in Yorkshire, and the whole of the London area), or has two or more separate geographical parts. The latter includes 1A, 1B, 2C, 2D, 3C, 4B, 5B, 5C, 5E, 5F, 6A, 6B, 7B, 8A, and 8C, whilst parts 10 B-10F are organized alphabetically! Only the bureaucratic mind can fathom such a system!

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
1A	Alston , Border , Buckrose , Carlisle , Central Durham , Cockermouth , Darlington , E Durham , Gateshead , Millom , N Durham , NE Durham , NW Durham , Penrith , SE Durham , South Shields , Sunderland , SW Durham , W Durham , West Hartlepool , Whitehaven , Wigton.
1B	Bulmer , Central Cleveland , Central Northumberland , Middlesborough , N Northumberland 1st , N Northumberland 2nd , N Westmorland , Newcastle upon Tyne , Northallerton , Richmond , Rydale , S Northumberland , S Westmorland , Scarborough , Thirsk , Tynemouth , W Northumberland , Wensleydale , Whitby.
2A	Holderness , Howdenshire , Hull.
2B	Barnsley , Bradford , Calder , Dewsbury , Don Valley , Doncaster , Goole , Great Ouseburn , Halifax , Hemsworth , Huddersfield.
2C	Claro , Keighley , Knaresborough , Leeds , Lower Agbrigg , Pateley Bridge , Penistone , Pontefract , Ripon , Rother Valley , Rotherham , Sedburgh , Selby , Settle , Worth Valley.
2D	Barkston Ash , Saddleworth , Sheffield , Skipton , Spen Valley , Staincross , Tadcaster , Thorne , Todmorden , Upper Agbrigg , Wakefield , Wetherby , Wharfedale , Wortley , York.
3A	Ashbourne , Ashby de la Zouch , Atherstone , Bakewell , Belper , Billesden , Blaby , Burton upon Trent , Chesterfield , Derby , Hinckley , Leicester , Loughborough , Lutterworth , Market Bosworth , Melton Mowbray , Oakham , Repton , Shardlow.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
3B	Boston , Bourne & S Kesteven , Brackley , Brixworth , Caistor , Cleethorpes , Daventry , East Elloe , Gainsborough , Grantham & W Kesteven , Grimsby , Horncastle, Kettering , Lincoln , Louth , Market Harborough , North Kesteven , Northampton , Oundle , Peterborough , Scunthorpe , Sleaford & E Kesteven , Spalding , Spilsby , Stamford , Thrapston , Towcester , Wellingborough , Welton.
3C	Basford , Bingham , East Retford , Ilkeston , Ketton , Mansfield , Newark , Nottingham , Southwell , Uppingham , Worksop.
4A	Ampthill , Bedford , Biggleswade , Braintree , Brentwood , Cambridgeshire , Chelmsford , Colchester , Dunmow , Ely , Halstead , Harwich , Leighton Buzzard , Luton , Maldon , March , Newmarket , Rochford , Saffron Waldon , Southend on Sea , Thurrock , Whittlesey.
4B	Acle , Barnet , Berkhamsted , Bishops Stortford , Blyth , Bury St. Edmunds , Debenham , Depwade , Downham , East Dereham , Fakenham , Gipping , Great Yarmouth , Hartismere , Hatfield , Hemel Hempstead , Hertford , Hitchin , Huntingdon , Ipswich , Kings Lynn , Lothingland , N Huntingdonshire , North Walsham , Norwich Outer , Norwich , Samford , St. Albans , St. Ives , St. Neots , Sudbury , Ware , Watford , Wayland , Wisbech.
5A	East Ham , Epping , Ilford , Romford , SW Essex , West Ham , Wood Green.
5B	Ashford , Bridge , Bromley , Canterbury , Chatham , Dartford , Dover , Folkestone , Hammersmith , Maidstone , Sheppey , Sidcup , Sittingbourne , Thanet , Tunbridge Wells.
5C	Battersea , Bermondsey , Bethnal Green , Bloomsbury , Camberwell , Chelsea , City of Westminster , Deptford , Finsbury , Fulham , Greenwich , Hackney , Hampstead , Holborn , Islington , Kensington , Lambeth , St. Giles , Westminster.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
5D	City of London , Lewisham , Merton , Paddington , Poplar , Shoreditch , Southwark , St. Marylebone , Stepney , Stoke Newington , Wandsworth , Woolwich.
5E	Brentford , Ealing , Edmonton.
5F	Harrow , Hendon , S Middlesex , Staines , Uxbridge , Willesden , Wood Green.
6A	Amersham , Aylesbury , Blandford , Dorchester , Eton , Henley , High Wycombe , Maidenhead , N Bucks , Newbury , Poole , Reading , Sturminster , Wantage , Windsor , Wokingham.
6B	Alton , Andover , Banbury , Basingstoke , Bullingdon , Chipping Norton , Christchurch , Droxford , Gosport , Isle of Wight , Kingsclere & Whitchurch , N Cotswold , New Forest , Oxford , Petersfield , Portsmouth , Romsey & Stockbridge , Southampton , Winchester , Witney.
7A	Barnstaple , Bideford , Bodmin , Camborne , Camelford , Central Devon , Exeter , Falmouth , Holsworthy , Honiton , Isles of Scilly , Kerrier , South Hams , Launceston , Liskeard , Newton Abbot , Okehampton , Penzance , Plymouth , Redruth , St. Austell , St. Germans , Stratton , Tavistock , Tiverton , South Hams , Truro.
7B	Bristol , Cheltenham , Cirencester , Forest of Dean , Gloucester City , Gloucester Rural , Kingswood , Ploughley , Sodbury , Stroud , Thornbury.
7C	Bath , Bathavon , Bridgewater , Bridport , Chard , Chippenham , Devizes , Exmoor , Frome , Marlborough , Mere , Norton Radstock , Salisbury , Swindon , Taunton , Trowbridge , Warminster , Wells , Weston Super Mare , Weymouth , Wincanton , Yeovil.
8A	Aled , Bangor , Brecknock , Builth , Caernarvon , Central Cardigan , Conway Valley , E Anglesey , Hawarden , Hiraethog , Holywell , Llanelli , N Cardigan , Overton , Pyllheli & Portmadoc , Ruthin , S Cardigan , St. Asaph , W Anglesey , Wrexham.

VOL	ALPHABETICAL LIST OF DISTRICTS
8B	Bridgend , Cardiff , E Glamorgan , Merthyr Tydfil , Neath , Pontypridd , Swansea , Vaynor , W Glamorgan , Ystradgynlais.
8C	Abergavenny , Bedwelty , Caerleon , Chepstow , Crickhowell , E Merioneth , E Radnorshire , Llanfyllin , Machynlleth , N Merioneth , Newport , Newtown , Pontypool , S Merioneth , W Radnorshire , Welshpool.
9A	Bridgnorth , Bromyard , Clun , Hay , Hereford , Kington , Ledbury , Leominster , Ludlow , Oswestry , Ross , Wellington , Weobley , Whitchurch.
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